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PART-III GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND GEOLOGY

NOTIFICATION

The 14th July, 2025

No.G.S.R.131/P.A.6/2025/S.28/2025.- In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025 (Punjab Act No. 6 of 2025), and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make the following rules, for regulating the Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers and for the purposes connected therewith, namely:-

RULES

- 1. Short title, extent and commencement.- (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers Rules, 2025
 - (2) These Rules shall be applicable throughout the State of Punjab.
 - (3) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. **Definitions:** (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires.-
 - (a) "Act" means the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers act, 2025 (Punjab Act No. 6 of 2025);
 - **(b)** "Assistant District Mining Officer" means Sub Divisional Officer-cum-Assistant District Mining Officer, Department of Mines and Geology, Punjab;
 - (c) "Chief Engineer" means the Chief Engineer, Department of Mines and Geology, Punjab;
 - (d) "Confirmation Receipt Slip (CR Slip)" means a slip issued at interstate posts established by the department to the vehicles coming from other states after validation of the documents;
 - (e) "Gair Mumkin Land" means the same as assigned to it under the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887 (Punjab Act No. 17 of 1887);
 - **(f)** "Junior Engineer" means the Junior Engineer, Department of Mines and Geology, Punjab;
 - (g) "KML/KMZ file" means digital file to display geographical data and map details;
 - **(h)** "Lease Agreement" means legal contract between two or more parties outlining the terms and conditions related to the use of land;

- (i) "Ready Mix Concrete (RMC) Plant" means a facility where concrete is manufactured using a precise mixture of cement, aggregates (sand and gravel), water etc. The concrete is then delivered to construction sites typically using transit mixer trucks; and
- (j) "Retailer" means any legal entity engaged in the purchase, stocking and sale of the processed minor minerals materials and river sand only within the municipal limit or Lal Dora of the village using only single-axle vehicles or tractor trolleys. However, it shall be located at maximum distance of 500 meters from the municipal limits or the Lal Dora of a village;
- (k) "Stockist" means any legal entity engaged in the Purchase, stocking and sale of river sand or processed minor minerals and derivatives at a site other than the pit Head of a mine or a Crusher Unit;
- (I) "Superintending Engineer (SE)" shall means Superintending Engineer, Department of Mines and Geology, Punjab;
- (m) "Transit Pass" shall means official permit issued by the department that allows the transportation of minerals from the mining site or Crusher Unit or stockist to another location;
- (2) In these rules, unless defined otherwise, the words and expressions shall have the same meaning as, respectively, assigned to them in the Act and the Mines and Mineral (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 (Central Act No 67 of 1957) and the rules made thereunder.

Part I - Crusher Unit

- Section 3 3. Registration of Crusher Units. (1) Registration of the Crusher Unit is Mandatory: Every Crusher Unit wanting to operate in Punjab must register with the Department of Mines and Geology. A one-time unique Crusher Unit Registration Number (CURN) with QR code shall be allotted to each unit, which will remain unchanged and non-transferable (the CURN shall remain the same even if ownership of the Unit changes).
 - (2) **Mode of Registration:** The Department shall maintain an online portal for registration of Crusher Units. The Procedure for registration and renewal shall be conducted online. Under special circumstances, the Director may permit offline processing through written order, but the default mode shall be online.
 - (3) Validity: The registration of a Crusher Unit shall be valid up to 31st December of the respective year in which Crusher Unit has been registered.
 - (4) Any Crusher Unit that was registered prior to the commencement of

these rules shall be deemed to be registered under these rules for the remaining duration of its existing registration or until the end of the calendar year, whichever comes earlier. However, if the registration of a Crusher Unit expires at the end of the calendar year, any fees already paid for the remaining registration period will be adjusted against the renewal fees for the following year on pro-rata basis. Additionally, such Crusher Units must ensure full compliance with these rules within three months from the date these rules come into force.

- 4. **Mandatory Requirements for registration or Renewal of Registration** Sections 3, **of the Crusher Unit: -** (1) The Crusher Unit shall not be in violation of 6 and 7 any provision of the Act or these rules.
- (2) The Crusher Unit shall not be in default of any Government Dues.
- (3) The Crusher Unit must have submitted all the monthly returns required up to the latest month prior to application.
- (4) The Crusher Unit must have valid Consent to Establish, issued by Punjab Pollution Control Board (PPCB)
- (5) The Crusher Unit must have valid Consent to Operate (Air), issued by Punjab Pollution Control Board (PPCB)
- (6) The Crusher Unit must have valid Consent to Operate (Water), issued by Punjab Pollution Control Board (PPCB)
- (7) Crusher Unit must have legal source of the raw material as prescribed by the Department from time to time.
- 5. **Application for Registration.- (1) Submission of Application:** An Sections 3, application for a new Crusher Unit registration shall be submitted online 4 and 6 in **Form-1**. The application shall be accompanied by:
 - (a) **Registration Fee:** Payment of the prescribed non-refundable registration fee as per Schedule-A.
 - (b) Details of the Applicant(s): Details of the Crusher owner(s) name, address, contact details, along with identification (AADHAAR and PAN). In case of partnership or company, details of all partners or directors must be provided.
 - (c) Goods and Services Tax (GST) Registration: Copy of GSTIN registration certificate.
 - (d) **Documents proving ownership type:** Documents exhibiting the legal status of ownership:
 - (i) Registration certificate under the Companies Act, 2013 (Central

Act No. 18 of 2013) in case of Company; or

- (ii) Partnership deed in case of Partnership; or
- (iii) Trust Deed in case of Trust; or
- (iv) Certificate by Registrar of societies in case of Societies; or
- (v) Any other document as required by the Director.

(e) Consent from Punjab Pollution Control Board:

- (i) Valid Consent to Establish (CTE);
- (ii) Consent to Operate (CTO), Air; and
- (iii) Consent to Operate (CTO), Water.

(f) Site Plan and Location Map:

- A digital location file (KML / KMZ) showing coordinates, boundaries of the site and distances from highway, habitation and nearest river/choe, drain; and
- (ii) Site plan of the Crusher Unit premises showing entry, exit, machinery setup, and approach roads.
- (g) Land Documents: Proof of ownership of land (e.g., fard or jamabandi or title deed) and registered lease agreement (if the land is not owned by the applicant). Also, in case of land agreement, No Objection Certificate from the landowner permitting for running of a Crusher Unit on his or her land, must be attached.
- (h) **Proof of Legal Source of Raw Material**: The Government shall issue a notification which shall detail as to how the different sources of raw material will be categorized, as legal sources, or otherwise. A crusher Unit must have a legal source of raw material for it to be registered with the Department.
- (2) Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for processing the application: SOP for processing the application shall be as per Annexure-I. However, the Government may amend the SOP by notification, any time.
- (3) **Approval of Registration:** If all mandatory requirements are fulfilled, the Director shall issue a Registration Certificate in **Form-2** to the applicant within 75 days of application submission (as per timeline described in SOP). This certificate shall contain the Crusher Unit Registration Number (CURN) and the conditions of registration.
- (4) **Rejection of the Application**: If the application is not complete or the applicant is ineligible, the Director shall issue a rejection order in **Form-3**, within 75 days of application stating the reasons for rejection. This will also be communicated through the portal.

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- Resubmission of the Application: In case of rejection, the applicant may (5) apply afresh after rectifying the reasons for rejection. If the re-application is made within 30 days of rejection and addresses all issues, the registration fee already paid shall be carried forward (not requiring a new fee). Beyond 30 days, a new application along with a fee shall be required. And the fee already paid shall be forfeited.
- Application for Renewal of Registration.-(1) Renewal Timeline: Sections 3, 6. A Crusher Unit registration must be renewed annually. The application for renewal in Form-4 should be made at least 45 days before the expiry of the current registration (i.e., by November 15th if registration expires on December 31st).

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- (2) Requirements for Renewal: The renewal application shall be accompanied by:
 - (a) **Renewal Fee:** Proof of payment of the annual renewal fee as per Schedule-A, which shall be paid though portal.
 - (b) Consent to Operate (CTO):
 - Valid Consent to Operate (Air) from Punjab Pollution Control Board
 - Valid Consent to Operate (Water) from Punjab Pollution Control (ii) **Board**
 - These documents shall be required only if previous approvals (iii) of consent to operate (air and water) have expired. The crusher owner will also provide the undertaking about the same. Also, if CTO expires any time during the period of the registration, Portal of the Crusher Unit will automatically stop and will be restarted upon receipt of valid CTO.
- (c) Declaration regarding no ownership Change: A declaration that there is no change in ownership or key details of the Crusher Unit since the last registration. If there has been a change (e.g., change in partners, or transfer of ownership approved by the department), provide details and proof of approval of such change.
- (d) Other requirements: Any additional information for renewal so demanded by the Director.
- (3) **Delayed Renewal**: If a renewal application is filed less than 45 days before expiry, it shall be treated as a delayed renewal. Such applications may attract a late fee as per Schedule-A. If the registration lapses (not renewed by 31st December), the Unit must cease operations until renewal is granted. If a Unit fails to renew in time and continues operations, it shall

be considered operating without registration (illegal) and penalties shall be imposed as per rules.

(4) Renewal or Rejection: If a renewal application is submitted on time, fulfilling all necessary requirements, the District Mining Officer shall decide on the renewal of registration either by 31st December of the same year or within 15 days of receiving the application, whichever is later. A Renewal Certificate in Form-5 shall be issued unless the Department identifies a specific reason to withhold or deny therenewal. The renewal shall be done for a period of one year or for a period upto which the CTO (air and water) is valid (whichever is earlier).

If any mandatory requirements for renewal are not met, the Department may reject the renewal application by issuing in Form-6, with reasons for the rejection duly recorded in writing. However, the Crusher Unit may apply again for renewal after removing the observations with the fees as per Schedule-A.

- Section 5 7. **Environmental Management Fund (EMF).- (1)** Every Crusher Unit shall pay an Environmental Management Fund contribution as specified in Schedule-A.
 - (2) EMF contributions are to be deposited to the Government account designated for EMF along with monthly return.
 - (3) Failure to pay EMF contribution shall be treated as a default of government dues and can result in suspension or termination of the Unit's registration.
 - (4) The Environment Management fund shall be utilized for the following objects: -
 - (a) restoration, repair, reclamation and rehabilitation work required to be undertaken for adjoining or external damage, outside the Crusher Unit or Crusher Zone, caused by operations of the Crusher Unit;
 - (b) provision of common facilities for the benefit of community in and around areas of crusher Zone;
 - (c) funding of the studies commissioned or activities related to the mining sector e.g. survey, exploration and prospecting of minerals, procurement of equipment and machinery required to support such activities;
 - (d) education, awareness and training of the Crusher Owners and the staff of the Department through field visits and exposure to the best practices; and
 - (e) any other objects which the Government may consider appropriate.

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8. **Mineral Processing Fee.- (1)** Every Crusher Unit shall pay the Mineral Processing Fee as prescribed in Schedule-A, to compensate damages to road and infrastructure, due to heavy vehicle traffic.

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- (2) The fee shall be deposited into an account specified by the Department. It shall be collected during registration or renewal along with other fees or collected separately.
- (3) The quantum of the Mineral Processing Fee may be periodically fixed by Government Order.
- 9. **Monthly Returns (Crusher Units).- (1)** Every Crusher Owner must Section 2, submit online monthly returns in Form-7 through the designated online (r) and 25 portal.
 - (2) The return must include details of the total purchases of minerals, electricity consumption, materials processed, and sales of minerals during the preceding month, and the stock of raw and processed materials.
 - (3) Any material sourced from other states shall be deemed illegal unless accompanied by a valid CR slip issued in the name of Crusher Unit with CURN of the Crusher Unit at an interstate check post by the Department. Similarly, material purchased from a mining site shall be deemed illegal without a valid Transit Pass issued in the Name and CURN of the Crusher Unit.
 - (4) The Department shall provide a provision of dropdown option on the portal immediately after the registration of the Crusher Unit, enabling users to select the Crusher Unit with CURN while issuing CR slips or transit passes or any other form or slip or pass for selling material to Crusher Units.
 - (5) Details of raw material purchased and sold shall automatically appear in the monthly return on the mining portal. However, the Crusher Unit must upload copy of these CR slips, transit passes, and sale of material proofs by 7th of every month on the Mining Portal.
 - (6) The quantity of material processed shall be verified against the electricity consumption during the month. The monthly production declared by a Crusher Unit will be correlated with electricity consumption using a statistical formula:
 - (a) Crusher Units: 4.50 kW per 1 MT of production.

- (b) Screening Units: 3.00 kW per 1 MT of production.
- (c) The statistical formula for raw material conversion into output may be amended by the Government from time to time.
- (7) Every existing Crusher Unit must install smart meters within three months from the date of implementation of these rules. However, the Government may extend this timeline by an additional three months. Failure to comply shall empower the Government to suspend the Crusher Unit's operations. Every new Crusher Unit registration must include the installation of a smart meter.
- (8) Crusher Unit shall be bound to install a separate electricity meter for solar point and get it integrated with Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, if Solar Plant has been installed.
- (9) The electricity consumption and corresponding meter readings shall be automatically captured and reflected in the monthly returns. The quantity of material processed shall be calculated automatically based on the prescribed formula linked to electricity consumption. Crusher Units shall have the option to manually update the quantity of material processed by 7th of the month. In determining the final quantity of material processed, the higher value between the quantity calculated based on electricity consumption, and the quantity manually updated by the Crusher Unit (if updated within the permitted timeframe), shall be considered. If no manual update is made by the Crusher Unit by 7th of the month, the quantity calculated based on electricity consumption shall be deemed final and in the event of any discrepancy in the stock of raw material or processed material, the Crusher Unit shall be held responsible.
- (10) If the electricity meter bill cycle does not align with the monthly return cycle, the Crusher Unit must update the meter reading on the 1st day of every month, along with the previous copy of electricity bill, justifying the reading update. However, Punjab State Power Corporation Limited shall endeavour to ensure that the billing cycle commences on the 1st day and concludes on the 31st day of each calendar month.
- (11) The monthly return shall be verified by the District Mining Officer by 20th of every month. In case any discrepancies are found, the stock of raw and processed materials shall be physically checked.
- (12) The Crusher Unit is allowed to sell only as much material as it had

in stock from the previous month, including both raw and processed material, along with any new raw material purchased. If there is not enough legal stock available for sale, based on the previous month's data and the new purchases, the portal will automatically prevent the sale of additional material. Example: Let's say, in the previous month, the Crusher Unit had raw material in stock of 500 MT, processed material in stock of 300 MT and new raw material purchased this month is 200 MT. So, the total material available for sale is 1,000 MT (500 + 300 + 200). If the Crusher Unit attempts to sell 1001 MT, the system will block the sale of the extra 1 MT since there is no legal material to back it up.

- (13)However, if a crusher owner submits an advance amount of royalty and penalty for the extra stock in question, the processing will not be stopped. The Crusher Owner will be given a Notice in Form-25 and will be asked to explain the source of this material. If he satisfies the Appropriate Authority that the material so used was of a legal source, then the amount will be adjusted in his returns; and if the appropriate authority declares the material to be illegal, then the process for penalty and royalty in these rules shall be followed, and the amount taken here, shall be adjusted accordingly. However, this shall not mean that the process related to prosecution for illegal mining is over. The department shall reserve its right to impose further penalties under extent of law or rules or policies.
- (14)Restrictions on Generator Sets:
 - Generator sets shall not be used for material processing; a)
 - A single 10 kW generator set may be used exclusively for **b**) running the office; and
 - The installation or use of a generator exceeding 10 kW capacity, or c) its use for processing, shall result in the suspension or termination of the Crusher Units registration.
- 10. Weighbridges and Monitoring.- (1) Weighbridge Installation: The government Section 25 may, at any time, issue directives requiring each registered Crusher Unit to install a weighbridge at its own expense, or to install a common weighbridge for a group of Crusher Units, with prior permission from the Department, at their collective expense. Additionally, the crusher owner shall be responsible for providing necessary arrangements, including power backup, infrastructure, furniture, drinking water, electricity, internet connectivity, and computer facilities etc.

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- (2) **Integration with Portal:** The weight of minerals may be recorded using the weighbridge, which must be integrated with the department's online portal. Weighment slips and transit passes shall be issued exclusively through the online system, with slips for processed materials generated in **Form-9** from the portal.
- (3) Volumetric Measurement: Until weighbridges are installed, weighment slips in same form (Form 9) may be issued based on volumetric measurement. Allowance as prescribed by the Government from time to time, for expansion in total volume is permitted when issuing weighment slips based on volumetric quantity. For all weight conversions from volume, the formula of 1 MT = 25 cft, or as notified by the government, shall be applied.
- (4) CCTV Surveillance: Each Crusher Unit shall install CCTV cameras covering key operational areas i.e. the entry gate, weighbridge, loading points, and stockyard. The live feed or recordings should be retained for a minimum period of 30 days. The Department may inspect CCTV footage to detect any unrecorded dispatches or illegal activities during odd hours. The Department may further, prescribe such CCTV cameras whose live feed can be seen by the department at all times.
- (5) **Transit Slip Validity:** A weighment slip (transit pass) issued should have a validity period as per the distance of the destination. After expiry, it shall be invalid, meaning thereby that if a vehicle is found with material but with an expired slip, it shall be treated as illegal transport of material.

Section 10 11. Stocking of Minor Minerals (Crusher Units).- (1) On-site Stock Management:

- (a) All stone crushers in the State of Punjab shall stack raw and processed material in a properly demarcated area within its premises only.
- (b) Stacked material of each stone crusher shall be in different areas and shall be separated by mesh wires. In case, no clear demarcation is done, then the material shall be considered as input material in the returns of each concerned or such stone crusher.

(2) Stock Register:

(a) Every Crusher Unit shall maintain a Stock Register in Form-10. In this, daily entries shall be made for incoming raw material, output produced, and output dispatched, similar to the monthly return structure but on a daily basis. This register can be in physical form or electronic form (printouts maintained). It must be available for inspection at all times in the Crusher Unit.

- (b) If the stacked raw material is more than the material declared by the crusher owner in stock return, than the difference of above material shall be considered as illegal. All such illegal material shall be accounted for imposing penalty under these rules.
- (c) During checking of return or site inspection, if there is any unclaimed material at crusher site, the same shall be seized and may proceed to auction the material as per rules, by the department.
- (d) In general, the stock of raw materials at each Crusher Unit shall be verified:
 - (i) Once in every month by the Junior Engineer or Mining Inspector.
 - (ii) Once in every 3 months by the Assistant District Mining Officer.
 - (iii) Once in every 6 months by the District Mining Officer; and
 - (iv) Once in every year by the Superintending Engineer.
- (3) **Material Accountability:** For every lot of raw material stock present at site, the Crusher Owner must have documents to prove its legality (such as transit passes from the mine it came from). Similarly, every dispatch of product from the stock must be covered by a weighment slip to the buyer. There should be no unaccounted material in stock.
- (4) Year-end Stock Clearance: Since registrations are annual, the unit's closing stock on 31st December should be carried over to the New Year after renewal. The Department may request a stock statement at beginning and year-end to ensure no irregularities.
- 12. **Power to Notify Crusher Sale Price (CSP).- (1)** The Government Section 20 may, from time to time, notify a price, called the "Crusher Sale Price" (CSP), beyond which no mineral shall be sold by any Crusher Unit. Absence of such notification shall mean no such price has been fixed by the Government.
 - (2) CSP shall include the cost of mineral, transportation of raw material from mining site to the Crusher Unit, processing charges and profit and loading of mineral onto any permitted class of transportation vehicles.
 - (3) CSP shall not include GST.
 - (4) GST on CSP shall be charged as per applicable rates, from time to time.

- (5) Any Crusher Unit, which sells minerals at a rate higher than the CSP, shall be imposed a fine of Rs. 1 Lakh for each such violation.
- (6) Provided that where any Crusher Unit has been prima facie found to have committed three such violations, the Director shall proceed to terminate or suspend the registration of such a Crusher Unit in accordance with the procedure prescribed under these Rules.
- Section 8 13. Suspension of Crusher Registration.- (1) The District Mining Officer may suspend the Registration of any Crusher Unit in Form 11 upon the availability of any of the following evidence:
 - (a) Failure to file two consecutive monthly Returns; or
 - (b) Conviction by a Court in any criminal case related to illegal mining; or
 - (c) A Notice for illegal mining or processing under Punjab Minor Mineral Rules-2013 as amended from time to time or these rules has been issued to the Crusher Owner; or
 - (d) Violation of any of the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 as amended from time to time; or
 - (e) Violation of any of the provisions of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules 2013 as amended from time to time; or
 - (f) Violation of any of the provisions or directions of the Act, or these rules; as amended from time to time; or
 - (g) Withdrawal of Consent to Operate by the Punjab Pollution Control Board; or
 - (h) Failure to pay, within the time period prescribed, any kind of pending government dues for which an assessment order has been passed by the Competent Authority.
 - (2) Where the Registration of any Crusher Unit has been suspended, the officer issuing such an order shall draw up the Articles of Suspension in **Form 12** along with suspension order citing the reasons for suspension of the registration of the Crusher Unit. Crusher Owner shall be informed immediately on the Portal.
 - (3) The Crusher Owner may seek a review of the order of Suspension within 7 days of the receipt of Articles of Suspension and the suspending authority must decide the review application in 7 days.
 - (4) No order of suspension shall remain in force beyond 6 months from the date of issue.
 - (5) The District Mining Officer, in this regard, may seal the Crusher Unit during the period of suspension.
 - (6) The Crusher Owner shall not purchase or operate the Crusher Unit or

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- Sell any kind of material during the period of suspension of registration.
- (7) Procedure or Standard Operating Procedure for suspension and review shall be as per Annexure II and this can be amended by the Government by notification from time to time.
- 14. **Termination of Crusher Registration.-** (1) Director or any officer Section 9 authorized by him, may terminate the Registration of any Crusher Unit in **Form 13** in the following event(s), namely:-
 - (a) Failure to file at least three monthly returns prescribed by the Department in a Calendar Year;
 - (b) Conviction by a Court in any criminal case registered under the provisions of the Act along with sentence of a minimum of one year simple imprisonment;
 - (c) An 'S' Notice under the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules -2013 as amended time to time or Form-34 notice under these rules has been issued to the Crusher Owner and no appeal has been filed within time frame given in the notice or his appeal against the notice has been decided against the Crusher Unit;
 - (d) Violation of any of the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 as amended time to time;
 - (e) Violation of any of the provisions of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules 2013;
 - (f) Violation of any of the provisions or directions of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, And Stockists And Retailers, Act 2025 or rules framed thereunder;
 - (g) Withdrawal of Consent to Operate by the Punjab Pollution Control Board;
 - (h) Failure to pay, within the time period prescribed, any Government Dues for which an Assessment Order has been passed by the Competent Authority, and such Government Dues have been declared as Arrears of Land Revenue;
 - (i) In the event of three suspensions for the same reasons mentioned under suspension, termination process will be initiated;
- (2) In the event of termination of registration of a Crusher Unit, the Crusher Unit shall not be registered again until after the expiry of a period of 3 years from the date of order of termination of registration.
- (3) Change of ownership, or any other ground whatsoever, shall not be a valid ground for early registration of any Crusher Unit whose registration has been terminated.

- (4) In exceptional circumstances, the Government may reduce the period of 3 years to not less than 1 year upon payment of penal fee which will be 3 times the registration fees and after the payment of the pending dues to the government, if any.
- (5) No order of termination of registration shall be passed without issuing a Show Cause Notice on the portal and at registered address and at email-id in **Form -14** of these rules asking such Crusher Owner to show cause within a period of seven days why the registration of his Crusher Unit should not be terminated. If the Crusher Owner fails to respond within the specified period, or if their reply is deemed unsatisfactory, the Director shall provide a final opportunity for a personal hearing. If the response remains unsatisfactory after the hearing, the Director, after following the due process, shall proceed to terminate the registration of the Crusher Unit by passing a speaking order within 6 months.
- (6) The District Mining Officer, or any other officer authorized by the Director in this regard, shall seal (Standard Operating Procedure as Annexure-II) the Crusher Unit within 48 hours of the termination of registration.

Part-II: Stockists and Retailers

Sections 12, 13 15. and 14.

License for Stockists and Retailers.- (1) No person, other than a mineral concession holder or a stone crushing unit, shall stock, sell or offer for sale any minor mineral or mineral products, in raw or processed form, for commercial purposes or trade in the State without holding a license.

- (2) No license shall be granted within a radius of 3 kms from any mining site or Crusher Unit. However, this limit may be increased or decreased any time by the Government Notification.
- (3) License of the Stockists will be valid for 1 year and license of the Retailers will be valid for 3 year. However, the validity of any license shall expire upon the end of a Calendar Year. Government may anytime by official notification change the duration of license and renewal of license time to time.
- (4) Any Stockist or Retailer that was registered prior to the commencement of these rules shall be deemed to be registered under these rules for the remaining duration of its existing registration or until the end of the calendar year, whichever comes earlier. However, if the license of a Stockist or Retailer expires at the end of the calendar year, any fees already paid for the remaining registration period will be adjusted against the renewal fees for the following year on pro-rata basis. Additionally, they must ensure full compliance with

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these rules within three months from the date these rules come into force.

- (5) To obtain a license for stockists, a minimum of half acre of land shall be required.
- Any material purchased by the Stockist or Retailer without proof of transit pass issued from mining site in State of Punjab or CR slip issued at interstate check post will be considered illegal. Any material sold by the Stockist shall have valid transit pass issued in Form-15.
- Retailers will be exempted from license fees, the requirement of filing monthly returns, the requirement for half acre of land, and the need for issuing transit pass.
- All the process of the new License or Renewal of the License shall be through online portal. However, in case of special circumstance, Director may by written orders may allow this process through offline mode.
- (9) Vehicles used for transportation of the material by the Stockists or Re tailer shall be covered and shall follow all the guidelines or norms issued by the various departments from time to time.
- (10) "Ready Mix Concrete (RMC) plants may be treated as Stockists for the purpose of these rules. Separate and specific rules governing RMC plants may, if deemed necessary, be notified independently at a later stage.
- 16. Mandatory Requirement for the application for new License or Sections 12, 13 Renewal of License of retailers.- (1) No government dues shall be pending against the Retailer. If the assessing authority, upon an application from the Owner, permits the Owner to pay the full assessed amount either in a lump sum or in instalments (with a maximum of four instalments spread over a period of twelve months), the Owner shall have timely paid the lump sum amount or timely instalments.
 - Retailer shall be located at maximum distance of 500 meters from the municipal limits or the Lal Dora of a village.
 - Retailer shall sell material within the municipal limits or Lal Dora of the village in which it is located, using only single-axle vehicles or tractor trolleys.
 - No Objection Certificate from the Municipal Councillor, in case of municipal area or the Sarpanch, in case of village shall be mandatory for applying for a new license.

- Sections 12, 13 17. Mandatory Requirement for the application of a new License or Renewal of License of Stockist.- (1) No government dues shall be pending against the Stockists. If the assessing authority, upon an application from the Owner, permits the Owner to pay the full assessed amount either in a lump sum or in instalments (with a maximum of four instalments spread over a period of twelve months), the Owner shall have timely paid the lump sum amount or timely instalments.
 - (2) No Objection Certificate from the Municipal Councillor in case of municipal area or the Sarpanch in case of village shall be mandatory for applying for a new license if area falls within municipal area or village limits respectively.
 - (3) The Stockist must have submitted all the monthly returns in **Form-8** required up to the latest month prior to application.
- Sections 12, 13 18. and 14.

Application for Retailer License.- (1) New License:- (a) An application for License of new Retailers shall be made to the District Mining Officer in Form-16 and shall be accompanied by:-

- (i) Name and details of the Retailers;
- (ii) A copy of the valid GSTIN number (if applicable);
- (iii) AADHAR card & PAN card number(s) of Owner(s);
- (iv) Location map;
- (v) Land Ownership or agreement details, if any;
- (vi) NOC from Municipal Councillor or Sarpanch; and
- (vii) Any other document as desired by the Director;
- (b) District Mining Officer shall register the Retailers in **Form-18** within 30 days. District Mining officer can reject the application of License for the reasons recorded in writing in **Form-20**.
- (2) **Renewal of License:- (a)** Any application for Renewal of License of a retailers shall be made to the District Mining Officer, in **Form -22**.
- (b) Renewal of License of retailers shall be issued in **Form-24** unless rejected in **Form-26** for specific reasons to be recorded in writing by the District Mining Officer.
- Sections 12, 13 19. **Application for Stockist License.- (1) New License:- (a)** An application for License of new Stockists shall be made to the District Mining Officer in 'Form 17' and shall accompanied by:-
 - (i) License Fees as specified in the schedule-A, shall be payable when applying for License of a new Stockists;
 - (ii) Name and details of the Stockists;

- (iii) A copy of the valid GSTIN number (if applicable);
- (iv) AADHAR card & PAN card number(s) of Owner(s);
- (v) Location map;
- (vi) Land Ownership or agreement details, if any;
- (vii) No Objection Certificate from Municipal Councillor or Sarpanch in case area falls within municipal limit or Lal Dora of the Village; and
- (viii) Any other document as desired by the Director.
- (b) District Mining Officer shall register the Stockists in Form-19 within 30 days. District Mining officer can reject the application of License for the reasons recorded in writing in **Form-21**.
- (c) If application has been rejected, Stockists may apply again within 30 days with already deposited fees. After 30 days, Stockists and Retailers shall have to repay License fees again.
- (2) Renewal of License:- (a) Any application for Renewal of License of a Stockists and retailers shall be made to the District Mining Officer, in Form -23 at least 45 days before the expiry of the registration and a License Renewal Fees paid through online mode as specified in the schedule-A.
- (b) Any application for renewal of License, received less than 45 days before the expiry of License, shall be treated as delayed renewal of license and delayed fees shall be charged as per the Schedule-A.
- (c) If a renewal application is submitted on time, fulfilling all necessary requirements, the District Mining Officer shall decide on the renewal of registration either by 31st December of the same year or within 15 days of receiving the application, whichever is later. The renewal will be done for a period of one year.
- (d) The renewal of license of a Stockists and retailers shall be in **Form-25** unless rejected in **Form-27** for specific reasons to be recorded in writing by the District Mining Officer, before 31st December.
- 20. **Stocking of the material.- (1)** Every retailers shall maintain stock register Section 12 in **Form-28** or any other record as desired by the Director for inspection. Any retailer shall not stock material more than 400 MT.
 - (2) Every Stockists shall maintain stock register in **Form-29** or any other record as desired by the Director for inspection. Any stockist shall not stock material more than 1000 MT.

- Section 12 21. **Display of Stockists or Retailers Licence.-** Every stockist or retailer must prominently display the details of the license granted to them at the stockyard or office, along with their name and GST number.
- Sections 2 22. **Monthly Returns to be filed with the Department.-** Monthly return of the Stockists will auto generate every month based on the material purchased and sold through transit passes issued through Portal. However, Stockists shall upload all the documents as proof of material purchased and sold, by 7th of the every month.
- Section 15 23. Suspension of License of a Stockists or Retailers.- (1) The District Mining Officer may suspend the license of any Stockists or Retailer in Form-30 in the following event(s), namely:-
 - (a) any violation of the provisions of the Act and these rules; or
 - (b) conviction by a Court in any criminal case related to illegal mining; or
 - (c) a Notice for illegal mining or processing under Punjab Minor Mineral Rules-2013 as amended time to time or under these rules has been issued to the Crusher Owner; or
 - (d) violation of any of the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957; or
 - (e) violation of any of the provisions of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules 2013; or
 - (f) failure to pay, within the time period prescribed, any Government Dues for which an Assessment Order has been passed by the Competent Authority.
 - (2) The Stockists or Retailers may seek a review of the order of Suspension within 7 days of the receipt of suspension order and suspending authority must decide review application in 7 days.
 - (3) No order of suspension shall remain in force beyond 6 months from the date of issue and officer who has passed the suspension orders or any senior officer, may revoke the suspension orders with reasons recorded in writing.
 - (4) The District Mining Officer, or any other officer authorized in this regard, may seal the Stockists or Retailer during the period of suspension.
- Section 16 24. **Termination of license of a Stockists or Retailer.- (1)** District Mining Officer may terminate the license of any Stockists or Retailer in the **Form-31** in the following event(s), namely:-

- (a) Conviction by a Court in any criminal case registered under the provisions of this Act along with sentence of a minimum of one year simple imprisonment; or
- (b) An 'S' Notice under Punjab Minor Mineral Rules-2013 as amended from time to time or Form-34 Notice under these rules has been issued to the Crusher Owner and no appeal has been filed within time frame given in the Notice or his appeal against the notice has been decided against the Stockists and Retailer; or
- (c) Violation of any of the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957; or
- (d) Violation of any of the provisions of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules 2013; or
- (e) Violation of any of the provisions or directions of the Act or any rules made there under; or
- (f) Failure to pay, within the time period prescribed, any Government Dues for which an Assessment Order has been passed by the Competent Authority, and such Government Dues have been declared as Arrears of Land Revenue; or
- (g) In the event of three suspensions for the same reasons mentioned under suspension, termination process will be initiated.
- (2) No order of Termination of License shall be passed without issuing a Show Cause Notice in **Form-32** asking such Crusher Owner to show cause within a period of seven days why the registration of his Stockists or Retailer should not be cancelled. If fails to respond within the specified period, or if their reply is deemed unsatisfactory, the District Mining Officer shall provide a final opportunity for a personal hearing. If the response remains unsatisfactory after the hearing, the District Mining Officer, after following due process, shall proceed to terminate the registration of the Stockists and Retailer, by passing a speaking order.
- (3) The District Mining Officer, or any other officer authorized by the director in this regard, shall seal the Stockists or Retailer within 48 hours of the termination of registration.

Part-III

- Section 24 25. **Assessment Process.** (1) In the event that the assessing authority is satisfied, without necessitating the presence of the Owner, that the Crusher Unit, Stockist, or Retailer is in possession of illegal raw material, or has processed or sold material unlawfully, the assessing authority shall, serve a notice in Form 33 to the concerned person. A response to Form-33 shall be submitted to the assessing authority within seven (7) days.
 - (2) If the Crusher Owner or Stockist or Retailer fails to respond or provides an unsatisfactory response, the assessing authority shall proceed to assess, to the best of his judgment, the amount of recovery due from the Owner. Furthermore, the assessing authority shall issue an order in Form-34 for the recovery of the assessed amount as against the illegally possessed or procured or processed minor minerals from the Crusher Unit within 15 days of the response of the crusher owner or after passing of 7 days period.
 - (3) The assessed amount (Penalty + Royalty) specified in the notice issued in Form-34 shall be paid by the Crusher Unit, Stockist, or Retailer within thirty (30) days from the date of service of the notice. Provided, however, that the assessing authority may, for reasons duly recorded in writing, permit payment of the recovery amount in instalments, not exceeding four, over a period of twelve months.
 - (4) Any government dues under the Act or these rules, shall be recoverable in accordance with a certificate issued in Form-35 by the assessing authority, and such dues shall be recovered in the same manner as arrears of land revenue.
- Section 23 26. **Power to Seize.- (1) Entry and Inspection: (a)** Any officer of the Department shall have the power to enter any Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer premises.
 - (b) The officer shall carry official identification and inform the premises' owner or authorized representative of the intended inspection.
 - (c) The officer may inspect any documents, records, or other materials believed to be in violation of the provisions of the Act.
 - (2) Seizure of Documents: (a) If any documents or records are found to be in violation or likely to assist in proving a violation of the Act, the officer not below the rank of District Mining officer or the officer authorised by the Government may seize such documents.

- (b) An officer shall immediately draw up a Seizure Memo in **Form -36** listing all seized items or documents.
- (3) Seizure Minor Minerals and Derivatives: (a) An officer, not below the rank of District Mining Officer (DMO), shall have the power to seize any illegally procured Minor Minerals and/or Derivatives found within the Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer premises, provided that no advance royalty and penalty of mineral have already been paid by the Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer.
- (b) The illegality of the material shall be substantiated by monthly returns or any other relevant records or data.
- (c) A Seizure Memo must be drawn up in **Form 37** clearly identifying the seized materials.
- (4) **Seizure of Machinery: (a)** An officer not below the rank of District Mining Officer (DMO) may also seize the vehicle, equipment, or any tools being used in the Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer premises for illegal activities.
- (b) A Seizure Memo must be drawn up in **Form-38** clearly identifying the seized machinery.
- (5) Disposal of Seized Minor Minerals and/or Derivatives: (a) Once seized, the Minor Minerals or Derivatives shall be disposed of in the open market with the permission of the Director.
- (b) Disposal shall occur through open auction only.
- (c) A report of the disposal process shall be maintained, and the proceeds shall be deposited with the Government Treasury.
- (6) Opportunity for Hearing: (a) Before proceeding with the disposal of the seized materials, the director must provide the owner or responsible party an opportunity for a hearing.
- (b) A written notice shall be served to the owner or party of interest, informing them of the date and place of the hearing.
- (c) The hearing must be conducted in a fair manner, considering any explanations or justifications from the owner or transporter regarding the seizure.
- (d) The officer shall make a determination after the hearing, based on available evidence and the law, whether the seizure is lawful.
- (7) Liability of Transport Vehicle Owners: (a) Lack of knowledge regarding the illegal nature of the materials being transported does not absolve the owner of the transport vehicle from any liability.

- (b) The transport vehicle, along with any seized materials, may be auctioned.
- (c) No compensation will be provided to the owner of the transport vehicle or the purchaser of the seized Minor Minerals and/or Derivatives.
- (8) Auction Procedure: (a) The auction shall be conducted in a public place, and all relevant details regarding the seized items (Minerals, Derivatives, vehicles and equipment) must be clearly displayed prior to the auction.
- (b) The auction process shall be transparent and shall be as per the Punjab Transparency In Public Procurement Act, 2019 (Punjab Act No 12 of 2019) and rules notified thereunder, as amended time to time.
- (c) A reserve price may be set by the Government, but the final sale price shall be determined by the auction bid.
- Section 28
- 27. Refunds.-The assessing authority shall refund an amount paid in excess of the amount due under these rules after executive orders of the Director. Provided that refund under these rules shall not be allowed unless a claim of refund is made within a period of two years from the date on which such claim becomes due.
- Sections 11 28. **Transfer of ownership.- (1)** All the Owners of the Crusher Units or and 12 Stockists and Retailers shall be jointly and severally liable for the violation of any of the Act and these rules.
 - (2) In case of change of ownership of the Crusher Unit or Stockist and Retailer, Permission of the District Mining officer shall be taken and it shall be the responsibility of the owner, jointly and severally.
 - (3) Application shall be made to the District Mining Officer along with following documents:-
 - (a) An affidavit by the transferee stating that he is fully aware of all the relevant Acts, Rules, and Government Notifications and agrees to comply with all the terms and conditions. Furthermore, he acknowledges the liabilities of the Crusher Unit and undertakes to settle all dues within the specified timeframe.
 - (b) All the details of transferee as required during registration of new crusher.
 - (4) Where the District Mining Officer has given permission for such transfer of ownership, a transfer deed shall be executed within 30 Days from the date of permission.

- (5) District Mining officer shall be informed about the change of ownership within 7 days along with documents related to transfer of ownership.
- (6) If the ownership of a Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer has changed without permission and information to the District Mining Officer, the registration of the Crusher Unit and Stockist and Retailer shall be immediately suspended and process for termination shall be initiated. Any operations conducted after the ownership change shall be considered illegal. Both the previous and new crusher owners shall be jointly and severely held responsible for any illegal operations or violations of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025, and these rules.
- (7) Where the Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer has been leased out, the lessor shall inform the District Mining officer immediately within 7 days about his details and District Mining officer shall update the details on the Portal.
- (8) The Lessor and the Lessee shall both be jointly and severely liable for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act subsequent to the execution of the Lease Deed.
- (9) If the Crusher Unit or Stockist and Retailer has been leased out without informing the District Mining Officer, the registration of the Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer shall be immediately suspended and process for termination shall be initiated and the Lessor and Lessee shall also be jointly and severely liable for any violation of any of the provisions of the Act and these rules, prior to the execution of the Lease Deed.
- (10) The Government may, at any time, issue a notification to prescribe a threshold net worth. If the lessee's net worth exceeds this threshold, the lessee, and not the lessor, shall be held responsible for any of the violations of the provisions of this Act after the execution of the Lease Deed, provided that the District Mining Officer is informed about the lease within 7 days. In the absence of any notification setting a threshold net worth, both the lessor and lessee shall be jointly and severally liable for any of the violations of the act and these rules.

- Section 17 29. **Appeals.- (1)** An appeal shall lie only against the orders of rejection of Registration, order of termination or any assessment order passed under the Act or these rules.
 - (2) No appeal shall lie against the orders of suspension.
 - (3) An appeal shall be submitted along with appeal fees as specified in the Schedule-A.
 - (4) An appeal from every original order of rejection of Registration or order of termination under the Act or these rules shall lie:
 - a) To the Director, if original order is made by any officer below the rank of Director.
 - b) To the Government, if original order is made by the Director.
 - (5) An appeal from every order of any assessment order under the Act or these rules shall lie:
 - a) To the committee of the officers, constituted by the Government, not below the rank of District Mining Officer, if order is passed by District Mining Officer.
 - b) To the Chief Engineer, if order is made by the Committee.
 - c) To the Director, if order is made by the Chief Engineer.
 - (6) No appeal from an order of any assessment order shall be entertained, unless such appeal is accompanied by satisfactory proof of the deposit of an amount as prescribed by the Government from time to time.
 - (7) No appeal shall be entertained, unless it is filed within thirty days from the date of communication of the order appealed against.
 - (8) If original order of termination has been passed for failure to pay Government Dues only, the applicant may, along with the Appeal, opt to deposit 50% of the assessed Government Dues subject to the outcome of the Appeal, and in all such cases the Registration or license shall regain its validity until the final decision of the Appeal. Example: If crusher owner was served with a termination order by the Department due to non-payment of Government Dues amounting to ₹ 10,00,000/- and he files an Appeal against the termination order and he deposits ₹ 5,00,000/- (i.e., 50% of the assessed dues) with the Department as per the provision under this sub rule. Upon acceptance of the Appeal and the 50% deposit, his registration regains validity and he is allowed to continue operations until the final decision on the Appeal is made by the competent authority. In

a case where a total amount of \ge 10,00,000 in Government Dues was permitted to be paid in four equal instalments of \ge 2,50,000 each, and the applicant deposited only the first instalment but failed to deposit the second instalment, resulting in termination of the registration/license, the applicant may still file an Appeal, but along with the Appeal, the applicant may opt to deposit 50% of the remaining pending outstanding amount, i.e., \ge 3,75,000 (50% of \ge 7,50,000). Upon such deposit, the registration/license shall regain its validity and remain effective until the final decision is made on the Appeal by the competent authority.

- 30. **Review.- (1)** A Review Application shall lie against any order of Section 18 suspension passed under the Act or these rules shall lie before the same authority which had passed the order.
 - (2) A Review Application shall be made within 7 days before the same authority which had passed the order.
 - (3) Review application shall be submitted along with review fees as specified in the Schedule-A.
 - (4) Reviewing Authority shall decide the review application within 7 days.
 - (5) No Review Application shall lie against any order other than suspension orders passed under the Act or these rules.
 - (6) Further for the details regarding the review of appeals are attached in Annexure-III which may be amended by the government, from time to time.
- 31. **Revision.- (1)** A Revision Application shall lie before the Government Section 19 against every order passed by the Director deciding an appeal of rejection of Registration or order of termination, provided that the revision application has been filed within 30 days of the passing of such an order.
 - (2) If Director has passed the order deciding an appeal for failure to pay Government Dues, the Crusher Owner may, along with revision application, opt to deposit 100% of the Government Dues assessed by the Director subject to the outcome of the Revision Application, and in all such cases the Registration or license shall regain its validity until the final decision of the revision application.
 - (3) Revision application shall be submitted along with revision application fees as specified in the schedule-A.

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- Sections 24 32. Penalty.- (1) Any person found to have submitted forged, fabricated, or counterfeit documents to derive any benefit under the Act shall be liable to imprisonment which may extend up to six months, or with fine of ₹50,000, or both.
 - (2) Any person who submits fake, forged, or fabricated returns, especially for the purpose of concealing illegal mining, processing, or purchasing, shall be liable to imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine of ₹ 1,00,000, or both.
 - (3) In case of sub-rules (1) and (2), District Mining Officer shall initiate prosecution within 30 days of detection of such act.
 - (4) Any Crusher Owner, in possession of a stock sourced through illegal mining, will be punished under the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957, in such manner as if the illegal mining had been done by the Crusher Owner.
 - (5) Any Crusher Owner or Stockist or Retailer, who is in possession, or had been in possession, of a stock sourced through Illegal purchase, proven by way of discrepancy in returns or otherwise, shall be liable to pay a penalty equivalent to twice the amount of royalty payable as per the provisions of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013 as amended from time to time on such a stock, or such amount as may be prescribed by the Government from time to time.
 - (6) The Government may, at its discretion, mandate the installation of a weighbridge at each registered Crusher Unit, either by the Crusher Units themselves or through any other means, and may notify the penalties for non-compliance therewith.
 - (7) Any Crusher Unit found to be using Generator set for material processing or Generator set of more than 10kW for office operations, shall be liable to pay a penalty of Rupees Two Lakhs (₹ 2,00,000) for the first offence. For each subsequent offence, the penalty shall be Rupees Five Lakhs (₹ 5,00,000). If a Crusher Unit is found to have committed such default more than once, the Department may, in addition to the above penalties, suspend or terminate the registration of such Crusher Unit.
 - (8) Where a smart meter is not installed at the Crusher Unit within a period of three months from the date of commencement of these rules, or within such extended period as may be granted by the Department, the Crusher Unit shall be liable to a penalty of Rupees One Lakh (₹ 1,00,000) for each month of non-compliance beyond the prescribed or extended deadline. If a Crusher Unit is found to

have failed to install the smart meter within three months after the prescribed deadline, the Department may, in addition to imposing the penalties specified above, **suspend or terminate the registration** of such Crusher Unit.

- (9) Any Crusher Unit, found to be selling at a rate higher than the fixed CSP (if any), shall be imposed a fine of Rs. 1 Lakh for each such proven violation. If Crusher Unit has been found to have committed three such violations, the Department may, in addition to imposing the penalties specified above, suspend or terminate the registration of such Crusher Unit.
- (10) In the event of any delay in submitting the monthly return on the designated Portal, the Crusher Unit, Stockist, or Retailer shall be liable to pay a penalty of Rupees Five Thousand (₹ 5,000) for each day of delay. Provided that if any Crusher Unit, Stockist, or Retailer fails to submit the monthly returns for two or more months, the Department may, suspend or terminate the registration or license of such Crusher Unit, Stockist or Retailer.
- (11) If any vehicle transporting material from any Crusher Unit or stockist or retailer is found to be uncovered, that Crusher unit or stockist or retailer shall be liable to pay fine of Rs. 5000/-
- (12) Any Crusher Unit, which sells minerals at a rate higher than the CSP, shall be imposed a fine of Rs. 1 Lakh for each such proven violation. Provided that where any Crusher Unit has been prima facie found to have committed three such violations, the Director shall proceed to terminate or suspend the registration of such a Crusher Unit in accordance with the procedure prescribed under these rules.
- (13) The Department shall issue a penalty notice in **Form-39** through the portal.
- (14) The penalty amount must be paid within 30 days. In cases of delay in filing monthly returns, the penalty amount shall be paid along with the corresponding monthly return.
- (15) The amount of the penalty may be revised by the Government from time to time through official notification.
- 33. **Delegation of Powers.**-The Government may, by notification in the Section 26 Official Gazette, direct that any powers exercisable by the Director under these rules may also be exercised, in such cases and subject to such conditions, if any, as may be specified in the notification, by an officer of the Government, as may be specified therein.

- Section 26
- 34. **Relaxation of Rules.**-The Government may amend or relax or modify any provision of these rules in public Interest. Also, the Government may amend, modify, or substitute any Schedule, Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), or Annexures appended to these rules, as it may deem necessary from time to time.
- Section 25 35. **Offence cognizable only on written complaint:** No court shall take cognizance of any offence punishable under these rules except upon a complaint in writing is made by any officer of the Department.
- Section 28 36. Rate of Interest.- In the event of any delay in the payment of fees, penalties, royalties, or any other dues as prescribed under these rules, the defaulter shall be liable to pay interest at the rate of 18 % per annum, calculated on a monthly basis, for the period of default, until the full amount is paid. The Department reserves the right to revise the interest rate from time to time, as notified by the Government.

Schedule-A

Sr. No	Fee Type	Amount
1	Registration Fee (New Crusher Unit) (See rule 5)	₹ 3,00,000 (if application made by 31st May of that year)
		₹ 2,00,000 (if application made after 31st May - Mid-year incentive)
2	Renewal Fee (Crusher Unit) (See rule 6)	₹ 2,00,000 per annum
3	Delayed Renewal Fee (Crusher Unit) (See rule 6 (3))	₹ 20,000 extra if renewal application submitted within the first 15 days of delay
		₹ 50,000 extra if submitted within the next 15 days of delay
		₹ 1,00,000 extra if submitted within the last 15 days of delay
		Note: After 31st December, a total fee of ₹ 3,00,000 will be charged for renewal of registration.
4	Stockist License Fee (New) (See rule 19 (1))	₹ 50,000 per year
5	Renewal Fee (Stockist) (See rule 19 (2))	₹ 30,000 per annum
6	Delayed Renewal Surcharge (Stockist/Retailer) (See rule 19 (2))	₹ 10,000 extra
7	Appeal/Review/Revision Fee (See rule 29, 30 and 31)	₹ 5,000 (non-refundable)
8	Mineral Processing Fee (per Crusher) (See rule 8)	₹ 0.90 /cft
9	Environmental Management Fund (EMF) Contribution (See rule 7)	₹ 0.15 /cft

The Government may amend the fee amounts and penalties by notification from time to time. All fees and penalties shall be deposited in the appropriate receipt head of the department unless specified otherwise.

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Annexure-I

Standard Operating Procedure for registration of Crushers [See rule 5(2)]

Sr. No	Description	Timelin e
1	Applicant will apply on the Mining Portal	T
2	After taking a field report and due verification of the documents, District Mining Officer (DMO)shall forward thwapplication to SE with Recommendation of approval or state the discrepancies.	T+10
3	After verification of the application, SE shall forward the application to Chief Engineer with Recommendation for approval or detail of discrepancies.	T+13
4	Chief Engineer shall mark the application to XEN/HQ for checking of the documents.	T+14
5	XEN/HQ shall check the documents as per rules and prevailing notifications. XEN/ HQ shall forward the application to the Chief Engineer with Recommendation for approval or detail of discrepancies.	T+24
6	CE shall forward the application to the Director with Recommendation of approval or detail of discrepancies.	T+26
7	Director shall approve the application or raise final discrepancies to the Applicant.	T+30
8	Applicant shall submit the application within 30 days after removing discrepancies. Application will then be marked to the XEN/HQ directly. If Discrepancies are not removed by the applicant within 30days, the application will be rejected automatically.	T+60
9	XEN/HQ shall check the resubmitted documents as per rules and prevailing notifications. XEN/HQ shall forward the application to Chief Engineer with Recommendation for approval or rejection.	T+70
10	CE shall forward the application to the Director with Recommendation of approval or rejection.	T+72
11	Director shall take final decision (Approval/Rejection) on the application.	T+75

Annexure - II

Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for seal a crusher [See rule 14 (6)]

1. Suspension of Crusher Unit

- The District Mining Officer (DMO)issues Suspension Order in Form-10 along with articles of suspension in FOrm-11 to the Crusher Unit specifying the reasons and legal basis. Suspension orders shall immediately stop sale of the material from the portal.
- ii. A copy of the suspension order is shared with:
- Local Police Station
- PSPCL (Punjab State Power Corporation Limited)
- o Pollution Control Board
- o District Administration
- Departmental higher officials

2. Sealing of Crusher Unit

- Within 24 hours of suspension:
 - The DMO, along with a team (including police if needed), visits the site.
 - o The Crusher Unit is physically sealed using locks and official seals.
 - Photographs and a sealing report in Form 10A are prepared and signed by the enforcement team and owner (if present).
 - o Signboards indicating "Unit Sealed By Order of DMO" are placed.

3. Suspension of Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL) Connection

i. Immediately after suspension order:

- PSPCL shall disconnect the power supply within 48 hours of receipt of request from DMO.
- o Confirmation of disconnection shall be communicated back to DMO.

4. Documentation & Reporting

- o All actions shall be recorded.
- A consolidated report shall be submitted by DMO to the higher officials.
- $\circ\ \$ A copy shall also sent to DC Office and Sub-division officer.

Annexure-III

Standard Operating Procedure for Suspension [See rule 30 (6)]

- 1.District Mining Officer (DMO) shall issue suspension orders along with articles of the suspension on the Portal.
- 2.Crusher owner may file a review application with DMO within 7 days from issuance of article of suspension. If no review application is filed within 7 days by the crusher owner then it will be understood that crusher owner has accepted the charges.
- 3.In case if the review application has been filed by the crusher owner within 7 days on the portal then the same shall be decided by the DMO within 15 days from the receipt of application after giving opportunity of hearing.
- 4.If review application is not decided by DMO in 15 days, concerned Superintending Engineer will issue show cause notice to DMO and instruct to decide review application within 7 days.
- 5.If review application is not decided in 22 days from date of filing review application, suspension will be automatically revoked and responsibility of concerned officers will be fixed for not deciding the review application.
- If review application has been decided against the Crusher Unit, suspension will continue.
- 7. If Crusher Unit, any time after the suspension has complied with the reasons of the suspension, he can submit compliance report along with application to the DMO, DMO shall decide this application within 7 days. If the DMO does not decide the application within 7 days, application will be automatically marked on the portal to concern Superintending Engineer,

who shall decide the application in 15 days after giving opportunity of hearing to crusher owner and DMO.

- 8.Crusher Unit can approach officers senior to SE/XEN in case of due process, or , principles of natural justice not being followed and the senior officer may make such directions as deemed fit and may also, direct the DMO to review the case.
- In case compliance has not been made by the Crusher Unit within 3 months, DMO shall put forward the case for termination of the registration.

Form-1

Application for New Registration of Crusher (See rule 5)

(To be submitted online on mining portal)

1. Applicant Details:
- Name of Crusher Owner(s):
- Address:
- Contact Number:
- Email ID:
- Type of Ownership (Tick one):
- [] Sole Proprietor
-[]Company
- [] Firm/Partnership
-[] Trust
- [] Society
If any other please specify
2. Crusher Unit Details:
- Name of Crusher Unit:
- Address/Location:
- Latitude & Longitude:
- GSTIN Number
- AADHAR Number
- PAN Number
- Proof of Ownership or Land Agreement attached: [] Yes [] No
- Site Plan attached: [] Yes [] No
- Meter Connection No

- Load In KW -
- Smart meter installed: ☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Required Documents (Attach Copies)

- -[] AADHAR Card(s)
- [] PAN Card(s) of Owner(s)/Partners/Board Members
- -[] Valid GSTIN Certificate
- [] Document regarding Ownership Type (Sole Proprietor, Company, Firm/Partnership, Trust, Society, etc.)
- [] Valid Consent to Establish from Punjab Pollution Control Board
- [] Consent to Operate under air from Punjab Pollution Control Board
- [] Consent to Operate under water from Punjab Pollution Control
- [] Site plan showing entry, exit, machinery setup and approach roads.
- [] location map (kmz/kml) showing boundaries of the site, distance from highway, habitation and nearest river/choe
- -[] Proof of ownership of land or lease agreement
- [] Proof of Legal Source of Raw Material
- [] Any other document as required (Specify): _____

*4. Undertaking

- I shall maintain the stock register as required by the department of Mines and Geology, Punjab.
- I shall submit monthly Returns along with electricity Bills, Weighment Slip/Mineral TransitPass details etc., or any other document required by the Department of Mines And Geology, Punjab.
- 3. I shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- 4. I shall abide by all the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of TheCrusher units, And Stockists and Retailer, Act 2025 and rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013, the Mines and Minerals (Development and

Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation/commissioning of StoneCrusher/Screening Plant.

- I shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my
 Stone Crusher/ScreeningPlant for checking or assessment purposes.
- I shall ensure to pay the entire requisite charges i.e. Royalty/EMF/or any otherGovernment dues to theGovernment as notified from time to time.
- 7. I shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- 8. I shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at the crusher/screening plant premises. The notice board will be simple, readable and of standard size.(outside premises)

5. **Declaration**

- I/We hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to
 the best of my/our knowledge. In case of any discrepancy or violation of rules,
 my/our application may be rejected or registration may be cancelled.
- I/We hereby declare that No government due is pending against any of the owner/partner of the Crusher Unit regarding illegal mining.

Signature of Applicant(s):	
Date:	
Place: ———	

Form-2

Registration Certificate of Crusher Unit (See rule 5)

Registration No. (CURN): Date:
This is to certify that [Name of Crusher Unit], owned/operated by [Name of
Owner/Company], located at [Village/Town], Tehsil, District,
Punjab, is hereby Registered under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units,
Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025 and the Rules made thereunder. The details and
conditions of this registration are as follows:
Crusher Unit Registration Number (CURN):
• Owner/Proprietor: (Name of individual/firm/Trust/Society/Company with address).
•Location of Crusher Unit:
Khasra No,
Village,
Tehsil,
District
•Registered Capacity (if any specified):(Tons per day or month).
●Valid From: Valid Until:

Conditions:

- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall abide by the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers ACT,

- 2025 and Rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013, the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation of Stone Crusher/Screening Plant.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my Stone Crusher/Screening Plant for checking or assessment purposes.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall pay all the requisite charges
 i.e Royalty/EMF/or any other Government dues to the Government as notified
 from time to time.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall not be in default of any Government dues.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall not be convicted with imprisonment for any violation of Mines & Mineral (Regulation & Development) Act, 1957 and Rules made there under.
- 7. The owner of the stone crusher shall observe/aside the provisions of :-
 - The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and rules framed there under.
 - ii) The Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and rules framed there under.
 - iii) The Environment (Protection) 1988 and rules framed there under.
 - iv) The Noise pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000.
 - v) Punjab Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 2013 (amended time to time).
 - vi) Indian Forest Act, 1927
 - vii) Wildlife (Preservation) Act, 1972
 - viii)Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980
 - ix) The Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units and Stockists and Retailer Rules 2025

- x) Any other Law/Provision related to the Stone crusher/comply with all the conditions of Environment Clearance.
- 8. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall ensure that the emission standards are as per the statute and as notify by the Govt. on 17.03.1998 or amended from time to time are adhered to.
- The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall adopt Pollution Control
 measures as per Govt. vide Notification No. 3/35/2013-STE(4)/734 dated
 30.07.2013 or as amended from time to time.
- 10. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall submit a monthly return as per prevailing Rules in a form prescribed, giving details of total quantity of minerals crushed, electricity consume, number of labour employees and wages paid etc.
- 11. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall immediately report to the Deputy Commissioner and District Mining Officer of the District concerned about any accident which may take place during the course of crushing operation in serious bodily injury.
- 12. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall not pay wages less than the minimum wages prescribed by the Centre or State Government from time to time under the Minimum Wages, Act 1948, to the workers employed in the crushing unit.
- 13. In the event of non-observance of the condition in the registration certificate, the registration of stone crusher shall be terminated as per period specified in the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher and Stockists and Retailers ACT, 2025 and Rules framed thereunder and the consent of Punjab Pollution Control Board, if any, shall be invalid.
- 14. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner must adhere to all clauses of the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher and Stockists and Retailers ACT, 2025 and Rules framed thereunder and all the rules and regulations or other directions

of the Department of Mines and Geology, Punjab, made in regard to operation of Stone Crusher/Screening Plant

- 15. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at the crusher/screening plant premises.
- 16. Generator set shall not be used for processing of the material.
- 17. Crusher Unit shall install smart meter only.

(Signature & Seal)

Form-3

Rejection of Registration Application (Crusher Unit)

(See rule 5)

Ref No:	Date:
To, [Applicant Name], [Address]	
CURN	
Subject: Rejection of Application for Crusher Unit	Registration
Dear Sir/Madam,	
This is with reference to your application (Ref. No: of a Crusher Unit at [Location]. Upon scrutiny and application cannot be accepted for registration due	verification, it is informed that the
Reason:	
	
 If you choose to reapply within 30 days of tearlier (₹) will be adjusted in the will be forfeited. 	-
[Name & Authority]	Designation of Issuing

Copy to: District Mining Officer, _____ (for information).

Form-4

Application for Renewal of Crusher Unit Registration (See rule 6)

1. Crusher Unit Details:
- Name of Crusher Unit:
- Address/Location:
- CURN
2. Required Documents (Attach Copies)
- [] Consent to Operate under air from Punjab Pollution Control Board
- [] Consent to Operate under water from Punjab Pollution Control
- [] Any other document as required (Specify):

*3. Undertaking

- I shall maintain the stock register as required by the department of Mines and Geology, Punjab.
- I shall submit monthly Returns along with electricity Bills, Weighment Slip/Mineral Transit Pass details etc., or any other document required by the Department of Mines And Geology, Punjab.
- 3. I shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- 4. I shall abide by all the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of The Crusher units, And Stockists and Retailer, Act 2025 and rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules,2013, the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation/commissioning of Stone Crusher/Screening Plant.

- I shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my
 Stone Crusher/Screening Plant for checking or assessment purposes.
- I shall ensure to pay the entire requisite charges i.e. Royalty/EMF/or any other
 Government dues to the Government as notified from time to time.
- 7. I shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- I shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at the crusher/screening plant premises. The notice board will be simple, readable and of standard size.(outside premises)
- 9. I undertake that my Crusher Unit has valid CTE/CTO issued by PPCB.

4. Declaration

- I/We hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to
 the best of my/our knowledge. In case of any discrepancy or violation of rules,
 my/our application may be rejected or registration may be cancelled.
- I/We hereby declare that no government due is pending against any of the owner/partner of the Crusher Unit regarding illegal mining.
- I/We hereby declare that no ownership or key details of the Crusher Unit have been changed without approval of the department since the last registeration.

Signature of Applicant(s):	-
Date:	
Place:	

Form-5

Renewal of Registration Certificate of Crusher Unit

(See rule 6)

Registration No. (CURN): Date:
This is to certify that [Name of Crusher Unit], owned/operated by [Name of
Owner/Company], located at [Village/Town], Tehsil, District,
Punjab, Registration is hereby Renewed under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher
Units, and Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025 and the Rules made thereunder. The
details and conditions of this registration are as follows:
Crusher Unit Registration Number (CURN):
Owner/Proprietor:(Name of individual/firm/Company/Society/Trust with
address).
•Location of Crusher Unit:
Khasra No
Village
Tehsil
District
 Registered Capacity (if any specified): (Tons per day or month).
●Valid From: Valid Until:

Conditions:

- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall abide by the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher Units, And Stockists and Retailers ACT,
 2025 and Rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013,

- the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation of Stone Crusher/Screening Plant.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my Stone Crusher/Screening Plant for checking or assessment purposes.
- 4. The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall pay all the requisite charges i.e Royalty/EMF/or any other Government dues to the Government as notified from time to time.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall not be in default of any Government dues.
- The crusher owner/Screening plant owner shall not be convicted with imprisonment for any violation of Mines & Mineral (Regulation & Development) Act, 1957 and Rules made there under.
- 7. The owner of the stone crusher shall observe/aside the provisions of :
 - xi) The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and rules framed there under.
 - xii) The Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and rules framed there under.
 - xiii)The Environment (Protection) 1988 and rules framed there under.
 - xiv) The Noise pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000.
 - xv) Punjab Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 2013 (amended time to time).
 - xvi) Indian Forest Act, 1927
 - xvii) Wildlife (Preservation) Act, 1972
 - xviii) Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980
 - xix) The Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units and Stockists and Retailer Rules 2025

- xx) Any other Law/Provision related to the Stone crusher/comply with all the conditions of Environment Clearance.
- The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall ensure that the emission standards are as per the statute and as notify by the Govt. on 17.03.1998 or amended from time to time are adhered to.
- The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall adopt Pollution Control measures as per Govt. vide Notification No. 3/35/2013-STE(4)/734 dated 30.07.2013 or as amended from time to time.
- 10. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall submit a monthly return as per prevailing Rules in a form prescribed, giving details of total quantity of minerals crushed, electricity consume, number of labour employees and wages paid etc.
- 11. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall immediately report to the Deputy Commissioner and District Mining Officer of the District concerned about any accident which may take place during the course of crushing operation in serious bodily injury.
- 12. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall not pay wages less than the minimum wages prescribed by the Centre or State Government from time to time under the Minimum Wages, Act 1948, to the workers employed in the crushing unit.
- 13. In the event of non-observance of the condition in the registration certificate, the registration of stone crusher shall be terminated as per period specified in the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher And Stockists and Retailers ACT, 2025 and Rules framed thereunder and the consent of Punjab Pollution Control Board, if any, shall be invalid.
- 14. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner must adhere to all clauses of the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher And Stockists and Retailers ACT, 2025 and Rules framed thereunder and all the rules and regulations or other directions

of the Department of Mines and Geology, Punjab, made in regard to operation of Stone Crusher/Screening Plant

- 15. The crusher Owner/screening plant owner shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at the crusher/screening plant premises.
- 16. Generator set shall not be used for processing of the material.
- 17. Crusher Unit shall install smart meter only.

(Signature & Seal)

Form-6

Rejection of Renewal of Crusher Registration

(See rule 6)

Ref No: Date:
To, [Name of Crusher Owner/Company], [Address]
Subject: Rejection of Renewal Application for Crusher Unit Registration – Reg.
Sir/Madam,
This is with reference to your application (Ref. No: dated //2025) for
registration of a Crusher Unit at [Location]. Upon scrutiny and verification, it is
informed that the application cannot be accepted for registration due to the following
reason(s):
Reason:
•If you choose to reapply within 30 days of this letter, please mention the
reference of this rejection. The registration fee paid earlier (₹) will be
adjusted in the fresh application if reapplied within 30 days, otherwise fees will
be forfeited.
[Name & Designation]

Cc:District Mining Officer to ensure the unit ceases operation post expiry and report if any illegal running.

FORM -7 CRUSHER/SCREENING PLANT MONTHLY RETURN

(See rule 9)

Submitted on	Date:
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Month of Return:

Type of unit: Crusher Unit/Screening plant (Drop down)
 Name of the Crusher Unit/ Screening plant: (drop down)

oCURN: Autofill

3. Location of the crusher/screening plant:

oDistrict: Autofill

∘Tehsil: Autofill

oVillage: Autofill

4. Name of Address of the Crusher Owner/screening plant owner: Autofill

5. Capacity of Crusher/screening plant - (cft per day)

6. Details:

Sr. No	Description	Qty in cft/MT
1	Opening Stock Raw Material (Previous month)	Auto Fill
2	Opening Stock Processed material(Previous month)	Auto Fill
3	Raw material procured during the month	Auto Fill
4	Material processed during the month	As per Electricity Consumption (editable)

5	Expansion Quantity	autofill
6	Material sold during the month	Autofill
7	Balance Raw Material	AutoFill
8	Balance Processed Material	AutoFill
9	Electricity Consumption	AutoFill or manual

8. Proof of the Raw material:

Attach copies of T-Form, Any other weighment slip along with CR Slip

9. Proof of Electricity Consumption: Electricity Bill of the Month

10. Details of the Material Sold:-

S.No	Material	Quantity (in MT)
1	Course sand/washed sand	Auto fill
2	Round Bajri	Auto fill
3	Bajri 10-20 mm	Auto fill
4	Bajri 20-40 mm	Auto fill
5	Bajri 40-60 mm	Auto fill

Signature of the Crusher Owner/ Authorized Signatory

FORM -8 Monthly Return by Stockist (See rule 17)

Submission Date:	
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Month of Return:

1. Name of the Unit: (drop down)

∘SRLN: Autofill

2. Location:

oDistrict: Autofill

∘Tehsil: Autofill

oVillage: Autofill

3. Name and Address: Autofill

4, Details:

Sr. No	Description	Qty in cft/MT
1	Opening Stock Raw Material (Previous month)	Auto Fill
2	Opening Stock Processed material(Previous month)	Auto Fill
3	Raw material procured during the month	Auto Fill
4	Processed material procured during the month	Auto Fill

5	Raw Material sold during the month	Autofill
6	Processed Material sold during the month	Autofill
7	Balance Raw Material	AutoFill
8	Balance Processed Material	AutoFill

8. Proof of the sale and Purchase:

Attach copies of T-Form, Any other weighment slip along with CR Slip

9. Details of the Material Sold:-

S.No	Material	Quantity (in MT)
1	Course sand/washed sand	Auto fill
2	Round Bajri	Auto fill
3	Bajri 10-20 mm	Auto fill
4	Bajri 20-40 mm	Auto fill
5	Bajri 40-60 mm	Auto fill
6	Raw material	Auto fill

Signature of the Crusher Owner/ Authorized Signatory

Form - 9

Crusher/Screening Plant (Weighment Slip) (See rule 10)

Sr.No.	Description
1	No./Slip ID:
2	Date/Time of Dispatch
3	Material: Coarse sand/washed sand/round bajri/bajri 10-20mm /bajri 20- 40mm/bajri 40-60mm/Stone Dust/Passi and Mud
4	Name of the Crusher/screening plant:
5	Address The/Block, District, State
6	GST no. of the Crusher/screening plant:
7	CURN of the Crusher/screening plant:
8	Name of the consignee: Retail/stockist
9	Mobile Number of consignee
10	Destination location of the material: Street/Town/Village Tehsil/District/State
11	Vehicle No.
12	GPS location
13	Address of RC of vehicle
14	Vehicle owner name
15	Driver Name:

16	Driver Mobile Number:
17	Load carrying capacity of vehicle as per RC (in kgs):
18	Unladen weight of vehicle as per RC
19	Weight of Loaded Truck on weighbridge (MT):
20	Weight of material (MT):
21	Volume of material (in cft)
22	Amount of material
23	GST on material
24	Validity of weighment slip
25	Distance to be travelled
26	Remarks

QR Code | Live image of Vehicle Number

Declaration by Crusher Owner

I hereby declare that the above particulars are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I shall be solely responsible for any discrepancies or false information provided herein.

Place: _	
Date: _	
Signatu	re of Crusher Owner
Name: _	
Stamp:	
(Affix Cr	usher Plant Stamp Below)

Form-10

Stock register to be maintained by a Crusher/Screening Plant (See rule 11)

S.	Particulars	Details
No.		
1	Name of Crusher/Screening Plant	
2	Name of Crusher /Screening Plant Owner	
3	CURN	
4	Registration Valid Up-to	
5	Location of Crusher/Screening Plant	
6	Name of Mineral(s)/Product	
6(a)	Date	
6(b)	Opening balance of raw material (MT/cubic feet)	
6(c)	Opening balance of processed material (MT/cubic feet)	
6(d)	Quantity of mineral purchased (MT/cubic feet)	
6(e)	Total quantity of raw material stock (b + d) (MT/cubic feet)	
6(f)	Quantity of processed material (MT/cubic feet)	
6(g)	Quantity of mineral dispatched from stockyard (MT/cubic feet)	
6(h)	Closing stock of raw material (b + d - f) (MT/cubic feet)	
6(i)	Closing stock of processed material (c + f - g) (MT/cubic feet)	

Declaration by Crusher Owner

I hereby declare that the above stock details are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that providing false information may attract penal provisions under the law.

Signature of the Crusher Owner/Authorized Signatory
Designation with Email
Phone Number

Form - 11

Suspension of registration of stone Crusher/ Screening Plant by District Mining Officer (DMO)
(See rule 13)
Order No.: Date:
To, [Name of Crusher Owner] Owner, [Name of Crusher Unit] [Complete Address] CURN
Subject: Suspension of Registration of Crusher Unit – [CURN)
In exercise of the powers conferred under Rule-13 of the the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers Rules, 2025, above-mentioned Crusher Units hereby suspended with immediate effect.
 You are directed to: Cease all operations of the Crusher Unit immediately. Stop sale or purchase of any material during the suspension period. Remove or disable all equipment as per applicable safety and legal protocols.
Failure to comply with this order shall invite further legal action as per applicable rules.
Issued by:

FORM - 12

ARTICLES OF SUSPENSION

(See rule 13)

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То
CUPN
CURN
Reference: Suspension Order No Dated
Whereas preliminary evidence has emerged that you have violated the following provisions of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Act, 2025 and rules framde thereunder.
✓ [Select or list as applicable]
 Failure to file two consecutive monthly returns as required under PMMR-2013 and Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers Rules, 2025. Conviction in a criminal case relating to illegal mining. Notice issued for illegal mining activity. Violation of provisions under the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957. Withdrawal of Consent to Operate by the Punjab Pollution Control Board. Failure to clear government dues as per Assessment Order issued by Competent Authority. Any Other
Detailed Reason
Accordingly, the Registration of your Stockists and retailers bearing CURN has been suspended with effect from () Seal and stamp of the authority

Form - 13

(ORDER OF TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION OF CRUSHER UNIT)

(See rule 14)

To,
(Name of Crusher Owner)
(Name of Crusher Unit)
(Full Address)
CURN:

Subject: Termination of Registration of Crusher Unit under Rule 14 of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025

Pursuant to the recommendation made by the **District Mining Officer** and in exercise of powers conferred under **Rule 14 of the** Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Act, 2025, the **registration of your Crusher Unit bearing CURN** is hereby **terminated** with immediate effect on account of the following ground(s):

Ground(s) for Termination

☑ (Tick all applicable)

- Failure to file at least **three (3) monthly returns** as prescribed by the Department in a calendar year.
- Conviction by a Court in a criminal case under the provisions of this Act, with a sentence of minimum one year simple imprisonment.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and no appeal was filed within the time frame mentioned in the Notice.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26 Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and appeal decided against the Crusher Unit.
- Violation of any provision of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957.
- Violation of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013 as amended time to time.
- Violation of any provisions or directions of the Act or any rules framed thereunder.
- Withdrawal of Consent to Operate by the Punjab Pollution Control Board.
- Failure to pay Government Dues within the prescribed time, for which an Assessment Order has been passed, and such dues have been declared as Arrears of Land Revenue.

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Three Suspensions for the same reasons.
Detailed Reason
You are directed to:
 Immediately cease all operations of the Crusher Unit; Note that failure to comply with this order may attract penal consequences under relevant mining and environmental laws.
Issued by:

Form-14

SHOW CAUSE NOTICE FOR TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION OF CRUSHER UNIT

(See rule 14)

To, (Name of Crusher Owner) (Name of Crusher Unit) (Full Address of Crusher Unit) CURN.:
Subject: Show Cause Notice Regarding Termination of Crusher Unit Registration under Rule 14of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers, Rules, 2025.
It has come to the notice of the undersigned that your Crusher Unit, bearing Registration No. CURN, has been found in violation of the following provision(s), which constitute valid grounds for termination of the registration of your Crusher Unit.

Alleged Ground(s) for Proposed Termination

☑ (Tick all applicable)

- Failure to file at least three (3) monthly returns as prescribed by the Department in a calendar year.
- Conviction by a Court in a criminal case under the provisions of this Act, with a sentence of minimum one year simple imprisonment.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26 Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and no appeal was filed within the time frame mentioned in the Notice.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26 Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and appeal decided against the Crusher Unit.
- Violation of any provision of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957.
- Violation of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013 as amended time to time.
- Violation of any provisions or directions of the Act or any rules framed thereunder.
- Withdrawal of Consent to Operate by the Punjab Pollution Control Board.
- Failure to pay Government Dues within the prescribed time, for which an Assessment Order has been passed, and such dues have been declared as Arrears of Land Revenue.
- Three Suspensions for the same reasons.

Detailed Violation
Accordingly, you are hereby called upon to show cause within 7 days as to why the registration of your Crusher Unit should not be terminated under Rule 14 of the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers, Rules 2025
leaved by:
Issued by:

FORM - 15

Transit Pass for Stockists

(See rule 15)

Sr. No.	Description	Details
1	Transit Pass No. / ID	
2	Date & Time of Dispatch	// 2025 : hrs
3	Material Type	☐ Coarse Sand ☐ Washed Sand ☐ Round Bajri ☐ Bajri 10–20 mm ☐ Bajri 20–40 mm ☐ Bajri 40–60 mm ☐ Stone Dust ☐ Passi ☐ Mud ☐ Raw Material
4	Name of Stockist / Retailer	
5	License No. (SRLN)	
6	Address (Depot / Yard Location)	
7	GST No. of Stockist / Retailer	
8	Name of Consignee / Buyer	
9	Mobile Number of Buyer	
10	Delivery Address (Street / Village / Tehsil / District / State)	
11	Vehicle Number	
12	GPS Location (Auto-capture /	<u> </u>
13	Real-time) Vehicle Owner Name	
14	Driver Name	
15	Driver Mobile Number	
16	Vehicle Load Capacity (as per RC) [in kg]	
17	Unladen Weight (as per RC)	

18	Weight of Loaded	
972.520	Vehicle [in MT]	
19	Weight of Material	·
00	[in MT]	
20	Volume of Material	
21	(in CFT) Value of Material	3
21	(INR)	₹
22	GST Amount (INR)	₹
	Validity of Transit	
	Pass (Time/Date)	
24	Distance to be	
	Travelled (in km)	
25	Remarks (if any)	
	QR Code (Auto-gene	,
kno	•	above particulars are true and correct to the best of my shall be solely responsible for any discrepancies or false in.
Pla	ce:	
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Sig	nature of Retailer	
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Form-16

Application for Registration of Retailers

(See rule 18)

1. Applicant Details:
- Name of Retailer (s):
- Address:
- Contact Number:
- Email ID:
- Type of Ownership (Tick one):
- [] Sole Proprietor
-[]Company
- [] Firm/Partnership
-[] Trust
-[] Society
If not Sole proprietor then specify
2. Retailer's Unit Details:
- Name of Unit:
- Address/Location:
- Latitude & Longitude:
3. Required Documents (Attach Copies)
- [] Document regarding Ownership Type (Sole Proprietor, Company, Firm/Partnership, Trust, Society, etc.)
- [] Location map/plan showing boundaries and area, along with KML file
- [] Proof of ownership of land or Land Agreement and Revenue Record
- [] Valid GSTIN Certificate
- [] AADHAR Card(s) of Owner(s)/Partners/Board Members
- []PAN Card(s) of Owner(s)/Partners/Board Members

_	[]	NOC from	Muncipal	Councillor	or	Sarpanch
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- []	l Any	other	document	as rec	uired by	the	Director	(Specify)	:
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*4. Undertaking

- 1. I shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- 2. I shall abide by all the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of The Crusher Units, And Stockists and Retailer, Act 2025 and rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013, the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation of Retailers.
- I shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my unit for checking.
- 4. I shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- I shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at my unit premises. The notice board will be simple, readable and of standard size.(outside premises).
- 6. I shall use only tractor-trolley or single axle vehicle for sale of the material.
- I shall sell the material only in the premises of Municipal limit or Lal Dora of the Village.
- 8. I shall not stock the material more than limit prescribed by department.

*5. Declaration

- I/We hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge. In case of any discrepancy or violation of rules, my/our license may be rejected or registration may be cancelled.
- I/We hereby declare that No government due is pending against any of the owner/partner regarding illegal mining.

Signature of Applicant(s):	
Date:	
Place:	

Form- 17

Application for Registration of Stockists

(See rule 19)

1. Applicant Details:
- Name of Stockist (s):
- Address:
- Contact Number:
- Email ID:
- Type of Ownership (Tick one):
- [] Sole Proprietor
-[] Company
- [] Firm/Partnership
-[] Trust
-[] Society
If not Sole proprietor then specify
2. Stockist's Unit Details:
- Name of Unit:
- Address/Location:
- Latitude & Longitude:
- Proof of Ownership or Land Agreement Attached: YES/NO
- KML file attached: YES/NO
- Site Plan attached: YES/NO

3. Required Documents (Attach Copies)

- [] Non-refundable Registration Fee receipt (as per Schedule A)

- [] Document regarding Ownership Type (Sole Proprietor, Company, Firm/Partnership, Trust, Society, etc.)
- [] Location map/plan showing boundaries and area, along with KML file
- [] Proof of ownership of land or Land Agreement and Revenue Record
- -[] Valid GSTIN Certificate
- [] AADHAR Card(s) of Owner(s)/Partners/Board Members
- [] PAN Card(s) of Owner(s)/Partners/Board Members
- [] NOC from Muncipal Councillor or Sarpanch.
- [] Any other document as required by the Director (Specify): _____

*4. Undertaking

- 1. I shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- 2. I shall abide by all the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of The Crusher Units, And Stockists and Retailer, Act 2025 and rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules,2013, the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation of Retailers.
- I shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my unit for checking.
- 4. I shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- I shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at my unit premises. The notice board will be simple, readable and of standard size.(outside premises).
- 6. I shall submit all the monthly returns on time.
- 7. I shall not stock the material more than limit prescribed by department.

*5. Declaration

- I/We hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to
 the best of my/our knowledge. In case of any discrepancy or violation of rules,
 my/our license may be rejected or registration may be cancelled.
- 2. I/We hereby declare that No government due is pending against any of the owner/partner regarding illegal mining.

Signature of Applicant(s):	
Date:	
Place:	

Form - 18 Certificate of License

(See rule 18)

Registration No. (SRLN): Date:
This is to certify that [Name of Retailer Unit], owned/operated by [Name of
Owner/Company], located at [Village/Town], Tehsil, District,
Punjab, is hereby given License under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units,
Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025 and the Rules made thereunder. The conditions of
this License are as follows:
Conditions:-

- The Retailer shall keep accurate accounts showing the quantity and particulars of the source and quantity of each mineral and/or its products purchased/received and sold/dispatched from the stockyard in a register.
- 2. The Licensee shall allow any authorized person of Department of Mines and Geology to enter and inspect the unit.
- 3. The Licensee shall display the license prominently at the unit or business location. In case of loss or destruction, the fact must be reported to the Licensing Authority.
- 5. The unit must be bounded with a boundary wall or fenced, and must have one entry and one exit point.
- 6. The Licensee must comply with:
 - o Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957
 - o Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013
 - The Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers, Act-2025 and rules framed thereunder.
 - o All directions issued by the State Government.
- 7. Non-compliance with any conditions or applicable rules can lead to suspension, seizure, or cancellation of the license by the Department.
- 8. No illegal mining of minor minerals is allowed.

- 9. Only tractor-trolley or single axle vehicle shall be used for selling of the material.
- 10. Material shall be sold in the Municipal limit or Lal Dora of the village in which unit is situated.

License issued on: License Valid Up to:

Signature and Seal of Licensing Authority

Form – 19 Certificate of License for Stockists

(See rule 19)

Registration No. (SRLN): Date:
This is to certify that [Name of Stockist Unit], owned/operated by [Name of
Owner/Company], located at [Village/Town], Tehsil, District,
Punjab, is hereby given License under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units,
Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025 and the Rules made thereunder. The conditions of
this License are as follows:
Conditions:-

- The Stockist shall keep accurate accounts showing the quantity and particulars of the source and quantity of each mineral and/or its products purchased/received and sold/dispatched from the stockyard in a register.
- 2. The Licensee shall allow any authorized person of Department of Mines and Geology to enter and inspect the unit.
- The Licensee shall display the license prominently at the unit or business location. In case of loss or destruction, the fact must be reported to the Licensing Authority.
- 5. The unit must be bounded with a boundary wall or fenced, and must have one entry and one exit point.
- 6. The Licensee must comply with:
 - o Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957
 - o Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013
 - The Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers, Act-2025 and rules framed thereunder.
 - o All directions issued by the State Government.
- 7. Non-compliance with any conditions or applicable rules can lead to suspension, seizure, or cancellation of the license by the Department.
- 8. No illegal mining of minor minerals is allowed.

- 9. The Stockist shall upload all documents as proof of material purchased and sold by 7th of the every month.
- 10. The Stockist shall not stock the material more than limit prescribed by department.
- 11. The Stockist shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- 12. The Stockist shall sell/dispatch minor mineral along with valid weighment slip/Transit pass.

License issued on: License Valid Up to:

Signature and Seal of Licensing Authority

Form - 20

Rejection of application for the registration of stockist and retailer license

(See rule 18)

То	
	[Retailer]
	[Address]
	[City, State, ZIP Code]
	[Phone Number]
	[Email Address]
Subject:	Rejection of application for new Retailer License.
	This is with reference to your application (Ref. No: dated) fo
license o	f Retailer at [Location]. Upon scrutiny and verification, it is informed tha
the appli	cation cannot be accepted for license due to the following reason(s):
Rea	ason:
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[Signature of Competent Authority]

Form 21 Rejection of application for the registration of stockist license

(See rule 19)

То	
	[Stockist] [Address] [City, State, ZIP Code] [Phone Number] [Email Address]
Subject:	Rejection of application for new Stockist License.
	This is with reference to your application (Ref. No: dated) for f Stockist at [Location]. Upon scrutiny and verification, it is informed that cation cannot be accepted for license due to the following reason(s):
Rea	ason:

[Signature of Competent Authority]

FORM-22

Application for Renewal of Stockists and Retailers

(See rule 18)

1. Retailer 5 Offit Details.	
- Name of Unit:	
-SRLN:	
- Address/Location:	
- Latitude & Longitude:	

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*2. Undertaking

- 1. I shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- 2. I shall abide by all the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of The Crusher Units, And Stockists and Retailer, Act 2025 and rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules,2013, the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation of Retailers.
- 3. I shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my unit for checking.
- 4. I shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- I shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at my unit premises. The notice board will be simple, readable and of standard size.(outside premises).
- 6. I shall use only tractor-trolley or single axle vehicle for sale of the material.
- I shall sell the material only in the premises of Municipal limit or Lal Dora of the Village.

*5. Declaration

- 3. I/We hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge. In case of any discrepancy or violation of rules, my/our license may be rejected or registration may be cancelled.
- I/We hereby declare that No government due is pending against any of the owner/partner regarding illegal mining.

Signature of Applicant(s):	
Date:	
Place:	

FORM-23

Application for Renewal of Stockists

(See rule 19)

1. Stockist's Unit Details:	
- Name of Unit:	
- SRLN:	
- Address/Location:	
- Latitude & Longitude:	

*2. Undertaking

- 1. I shall not indulge in any sort of illegal mining of any minor mineral.
- 2. I shall abide by all the provisions of the Punjab Regulation of The Crusher Units, And Stockists and Retailer, Act 2025 and rules framed thereunder, the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013, the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and all orders/directions issued by the State Government from time to time made in regard of operation of Retailers.
- I shall allow the officer authorized by the department to enter the premises of my unit for checking.
- 4. I shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- I shall display the selling price of each item to be sold from unit on a notice board displayed at my unit premises. The notice board will be simple, readable and of standard size.(outside premises).
- 6. I shall submit all the monthly returns on time.
- 7. I shall not stock the material more than limit prescribed by department.

*3. Declaration

- I/We hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to
 the best of my/our knowledge. In case of any discrepancy or violation of rules,
 my/our license may be rejected or registration may be cancelled.
- I/We hereby declare that No government due is pending against any of the owner/partner regarding illegal mining.

Signature of Applicant(s):	
Date:	
Place.	

Form - 24 Certificate of Renewal of License (See rule 18)

Registration No. (SRLN): Date:		
This is to certify that License of [Name of Retailer Unit], owned/operated by [Name		
of Owner/Company], located at [Village/Town], Tehsil, District		
, Punjab, is hereby renewed under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units		
Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025 and the Rules made thereunder. The conditions of		
this License are as follows:		
Conditions:-		

- The Retailer shall keep accurate accounts showing the quantity and particulars of the source and quantity of each mineral and/or its products purchased/received and sold/dispatched from the stockyard in a register.
- 2. The Licensee shall allow any authorized person of Department of Mines and Geology to enter and inspect the unit.
- The Licensee shall display the license prominently at the unit or business location. In case of loss or destruction, the fact must be reported to the Licensing Authority.
- The unit must be bounded with a boundary wall or fenced, and must have one entry and one exit point.
- 6. The Licensee must comply with:
 - o Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957
 - o Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013
 - The Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers, Act-2025 and rules framed thereunder.
 - o All directions issued by the State Government.
- 7. Non-compliance with any conditions or applicable rules can lead to suspension, seizure, or cancellation of the license by the Department.
- 8. No illegal mining of minor minerals is allowed.

- 9. Only tractor-trolley or single axle vehicle shall be used for selling of the material.
- 10. Material shall be sold in the Municipal limit or Lal Dora of the village in which unit is situated.

License issued on: License Valid Up to:

Signature and Seal of Licensing Authority

Form – 25 Certificate of Renewal of License of Stockists (See rule 19)

Registration No. (SRLN): Date:
This is to certify that License of [Name of Stockist Unit], owned/operated by [Name
of Owner/Company], located at [Village/Town], Tehsil, District
, Punjab, is hereby renewed under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units,
Stockists and Retailers Act, 2025 and the Rules made thereunder. The conditions of
this License are as follows:
Conditions:-

- The Stockist shall keep accurate accounts showing the quantity and particulars of the source and quantity of each mineral and/or its products purchased/received and sold/dispatched from the stockyard in a register.
- 2. The Licensee shall allow any authorized person of Department of Mines and Geology to enter and inspect the unit.
- The Licensee shall display the license prominently at the unit or business location. In case of loss or destruction, the fact must be reported to the Licensing Authority.
- 5. The unit must be bounded with a boundary wall or fenced, and must have one entry and one exit point.
- 6. The Licensee must comply with:
 - o Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957
 - o Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013
 - The Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers, Act-2025 and rules framed thereunder.
 - o All directions issued by the State Government.
- 7. Non-compliance with any conditions or applicable rules can lead to suspension, seizure, or cancellation of the license by the Department.
- 8. No illegal mining of minor minerals is allowed.

- 9. The Stockist shall upload all documents as proof of material purchased and sold by 7th of the every month.
- 10. The Stockist shall not stock the material more than limit prescribed by department.
- 11. The Stockist shall not be a defaulter of any Government dues.
- 12. The Stockist shall sell/dispatch minor mineral along with valid weighment slip/Transit pass.

License issued on:

License Valid Up to:

Signature and Seal of Licensing Authority

Form 26

Rejection of application for the renewal of the license

(See rule 18)

To	
	[Retailer]
	[Address]
	[City, State, ZIP Code]
	[Phone Number]
	[Email Address]
Subject:	Rejection of application for Renewal of Retailer License.
	This is with reference to your application (Ref. No: dated) for
license of	Retailer at [Location]. Upon scrutiny and verification, it is informed that
the applic	ation cannot be accepted for license due to the following reason(s):
Rea	son:

[Signature of Competent Authority]

Form- 27

Rejection of application for the renewal of the license of Stockist

(See rule 19)

То	
	[Stockist]
	[Address]
	[City, State, ZIP Code]
	[Phone Number]
	[Email Address]
Subject:	Rejection of application for Renewal of Stockist License.
	This is with reference to your application (Ref. No: dated) for
license o	f Stockist at [Location]. Upon scrutiny and verification, it is informed that
the applic	cation cannot be accepted for license due to the following reason(s):
Rea	nson:
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[Signature of Competent Authority]

Form 28

Stock Register to be maintained by the Retailer.

(See rule 20)

1	Name of Retailer Unit	
2	Name of the Unit Owner	
3	Registration Number of Unit (SRLN)	
4	Registration Valid up to	
5	Location of unit	

Date	Type of the Mineral	Opening Balance of processed material	Purchased material	Sold Material	Closing Balance of processed material

Signature of the owner/authorised person

Form 29

Stock Register to be maintained by the Stockist.

(See rule 20)

1	Name of Stockist Unit	
2	Name of the Unit Owner	
3	Registration Number of Unit (SRLN)	
4	Registration Valid up to	
5	Location of unit	

- 1. Date:
- 2. Type of Mineral:
- 3. Opening Balance of Raw Material
- 4. Opening Balance of Processed Material
- 5. Raw Material Purchased
- 6. Processed Material Purchased
- 7. Raw Material Sold
- 8. Processed Material Sold
- 9. Balance Raw Material
- 10. Balance Processed Material

Signature of the owner/authorised person

Form- 30

ORDER FOR SUSPENSION OF STOCKIST/RETAILER LICENSE

(See rule 23)

SRLN			
Name of Licensee: [Full Name of Stockist/Retailer]			
Location of Stockyard: [Complete Address]			
Date of Issue: [DD/MM/YYYY]			
Suspension Order No.: [Order Number]			
Date of Suspension: [DD/MM/YYYY]			
Subject: Suspension of License under Rule 23 of The Punjab Regulation			
Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers Rules, 2025			
In exercise of the powers conferred under Rule-23 of the the <i>Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers Rules, 2025</i> , above-mentioned Crusher Unit is hereby suspended with immediate effect for the following violations-			
☐ Violation of The Punjab Regulation of Crushers units, and Stockists and Retailers			
Act, 2025 and/or the rules framed thereunder.			
☐ Conviction by a Court of Law in a criminal case related to illegal mining.			
□ Issuance of Notice for illegal mining under PMMR-2013 or illegal processing under the Punjab regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers, Rules,2025 has been issued.			
□ Violation of provisions of the <i>Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation)</i> Act, 1957.			

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☐ Violation of provisions of the <i>Punjab Minor Mineral Rules</i> , 2013.
☐ Non-payment of government dues within the prescribed time after issuance of an Assessment Order by the Competent Authority.
Detailed Reason
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You are directed to:
1. Cease all operations of the Stockist/Retailer Unit immediately.
2. Stop sale or purchase of any material during the suspension period.
 Remove or disable all equipment as per applicable safety and legal protocols.
Failure to comply with this order shall invite further legal action as per applicable rules.
Issued By: District Mining Officer]

Form-31

ORDER FOR TERMINATION OF STOCKIST/RETAILER LICENSE

(See rule-24)

SRLN.: [License Number]

Name of Licensee: [Full Name of Stockist/Retailer]

Location of Stockyard: [Complete Address]

Date of Issue: [DD/MM/YYYY]

Termination Order No.: [Order Number]
Date of Termination: [DD/MM/YYYY]

Subject: Termination of License under Rule-24 of The Punjab Regulation Crusher Units, Stockists and Retailers Rules, 2025

In exercise of powers conferred under **Rule 24** of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Act, 2025, the **License of your Unit bearing SRLN**______ is hereby **terminated** with immediate effect on account of the following ground(s):

Ground(s) for Termination

☑ (Tick all applicable)

- Failure to file at least three (3) monthly returns as prescribed by the Department in a calendar year.
- Conviction by a Court in a criminal case under the provisions of this Act, with a sentence of minimum one year simple imprisonment.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26 Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and no appeal was filed within the time frame mentioned in the Notice.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26 Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and appeal decided against the Unit.
- Violation of any provision of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957.
- Violation of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013 as amended time to time.
- Violation of any provisions or directions of the Act or any rules framed thereunder.
- Withdrawal of Consent to Operate by the Punjab Pollution Control Board.
- Failure to pay Government Dues within the prescribed time, for which an Assessment Order has been passed, and such dues have been declared as Arrears of Land Revenue.

Three Suspensions for the same reasons.
Detailed Reason

You are directed to:

- Immediately **cease all operations** of the Unit;
- Note that **failure to comply** with this order may attract penal consequences under relevant mining and environmental laws.

Issued by:

Form-32

SHOW CAUSE NOTICE BEFORE TERMINATION OF LICENSE

(See rule 24)

SRLN: [License Number]

Name of Licensee: [Full Name of Stockist/Retailer]

Address of Licensee: [Complete Address]

Location of Stockyard: [Village/Town, District, etc.]

Date of Issue: [DD/MM/YYYY]

Notice No.: [Notice Reference Number]

Subject: Show Cause Notice under Rule 24 of The Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers Rules, 2025 – Regarding Proposed Termination of License

It has come to the notice of the undersigned that your Unit, bearing Registration No. SRLN______, has been found in violation of the following provision(s), which constitute valid grounds for termination of the License of your Unit.

Alleged Ground(s) for Proposed Termination

☑ (Tick all applicable)

- Failure to file at least three (3) monthly returns as prescribed by the Department in a calendar year.
- Conviction by a Court in a criminal case under the provisions of this Act, with a sentence of minimum one year simple imprisonment.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26 Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and no appeal was filed within the time frame mentioned in the Notice.
- Issuance of an 'S' Notice under PMMR-2013 or Form-26 Demand Notice under the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and retailers Rules, 2025, and appeal decided against the Unit.
- Violation of any provision of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957.
- Violation of the Punjab Minor Mineral Rules, 2013 as amended time to time.
- Violation of any provisions or directions of the Act or any rules framed thereunder.
- Withdrawal of Consent to Operate by the Punjab Pollution Control Board.
- Failure to pay Government Dues within the prescribed time, for which an Assessment Order has been passed, and such dues have been declared as Arrears of Land Revenue.
- Three Suspensions for the same reasons.

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•	Detailed Violation
	Accordingly, you are hereby called upon to show cause within 7 days as to why the License of your Unit should not be terminated under Rule 24 of the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers, Rules 2025.
	Issued by:

FORM - 33

Notice To Crusher Unit or Stockist or Retailer

(See rule 25)

То
CURN/SRLN
Where it appears that you are in possession/have been in possession of
(Quantity) Minor Mineral without lawful authority during the month

You are, therefore directed to appear, in person or through a duly authorized
representative before on at
(time) and to produce the accounts and documents which you may
wish to prefer in support thereof and produce any evidence in this regard.
In the event of your failure to comply with this notice, I shall proceed to assess the
recovery amount to the best of my judgment under of the Punjab Regulation of control $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left($
of Crusher Units, Stockist and Retailers Rules under Rule -25 of the Punjab
Regulation of the Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers, Rules 2025
Assessing Authority Seal of the Assessing Authority
No
Date
Place

FORM-34 DEMAND NOTICE

(See rule 14 and 25)

To
CURN/SRLN
In continuation to noticedatedissued to you on the
day of20 , you are
hereby informed that your total possession of mineral, without having paid the
Royalty, during the month(s) of20 , has been finally determined at
cft and accordingly royalty amounting to Rs.
and penalty of Rs only is payable by you.
You are hereby directed to pay the sum of Rsonly
as detailed below through online portal not later than the
day of, failing which the said sum of Rs.
only will be recoverable from you as an arrear of land revenue
under Rule-25 of the Punjab Regulation of the Crusher Units, and Stockists and
Retailers, Rules 2025.
Details of assessed amount
Total Payable Amount
Royalty
Penalty
Assessment Calculation
Assessing Authority
Seal of the Assessing Authority
No
Date
Place

FORM- 35 CERTIFICATE

(See rule 25)

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Units,	and Stockist	and Re	tailers Rule	s, 2025	, read	with	Demand	Notice	No.
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FORM- 36

SEIZURE MEMO (DOCUMENTS) (See rule 26)

То	
CURN / SRLN	
No	dated
of the following documen	ction of your Premises you have been found in possession ts, which are, in my opinion, likely to prove, or assist in have violated the provisions of The Punjab Regulation or and retailers Act 2025
1. 2.	
	e of the powers conferred under Sub-section (1) of Section ion of Crushers, and Stockists and retailers Act 2025, the nts are being seized.
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Name & Stamp of the Auth	nority

FORM-37

SEIZURE MEMO (MINOR MINERALS/DERIVATIVES) (See rule 26)

То	
CURN / SRLN	
No	dated
	tion of your Premises you have been found in possession ocured Minor Minerals and/or Derivatives, proven by way y attached)-
a.	
b.	
24 of The Punjab Regulat above-mentioned items ar	e of the powers conferred under Sub-section (2) of Section ion of Crushers, and Stockists and retailers Act 2025, the being seized and would subsequently be disposed off irrough auction or through direct sale.
(Name& Stamp of the Auth	nority)

FORM-38

SEIZUDE MEMO (MACHINEDV)

SEIZURE MEMO (MACHINERY) (See rule 26)		
То		
CURN / SRLN		
No	dated	
of the following Minor Min	ction of your Premises you have been found in possession eral and/or Derivatives being transported in contravention runjab Regulation of Crushers, and Stockists and retailers	
1. 2.		
24 of The Punjab Regulat above-mentioned items alo etc used in the commission	e of the powers conferred under Sub-section (3) of Section tion of Crushers and Stockists and retailers Act 2025, the ong with the following tools / equipment / Transport Vehicle on of the offence are being seized and would subsequently market, either through auction or through direct sale-	
a.		
b.		
()	
Name & Stamp of the Auth	nority	

(ASAR 26, 1947 SAKA)

FORM-39 Penalty Notice (See rule 32)

Notice No.:	_	Date :				
То						
Name of the Crusher Unit CURN/SRLN Address: Contact No.: Email ID:						
Subject: Imposition of Penalty under the Provisions of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers Rules 2025.						
It has come to the notice of the undersigned that your Unit, bearing CURN/SRLN, has been found in violation of the following Rules, which constitute valid grounds for imposing Penalty under Rule-32 of the Punjab Regulation of Crusher Units, and Stockists and Retailers, Rules-2025						
S. Rules No. Violated	Description of Offence	Date of Violation	Penalty Amount (₹)			
1. (2						
Total Penalty Imposed: ₹ _						
(In words: Rupees			only)			
Instructions:						

- 1. The penalty amount must be deposited within **30 days** of issuance of this notice.
- 2. Payment must be made through the designated **Government Portal** or as directed by the Department.
- 3. Failure to comply within the stipulated period may lead to:
 - o Suspension or Termination of Registration / License
 - o Additional penalties and legal action under applicable laws.

Issuing Authority (Signature with Stamp)

NOTE:

This version includes legal, grammatical, and structural improvement suggestions for finalization of the Crusher Rules 2025.

Key changes made:

- Standardized capitalization of terms (e.g., 'Crusher Unit')
- Fixed grammatical errors and typos
- Moved repeated compliance conditions to a general compliance section
- Clarified timelines and added missing legal structure
- Improved formatting and document structure

Sd/-(JASPREET TALWAR, IAS)

Additional Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab Department of Mines and Geology

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PART-III GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

NOTIFICATION

The 16th July, 2025

No.G.S.R.132/Const./Art.309/Amd.(2)/2025.- In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make the following rules, further to amend the Punjab Water Resources Department Junior Engineers (Group-B) Service Rules, 2021, namely:-

RULES

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Water Resources Department Junior Engineers (Group-B) Service (First Amendment) Rules, 2025.
- (2) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Punjab Water Resources Department Junior Engineers (Group-B) Service Rules, 2021, in Appendix 'B', in Serial No. 1, under column 6, for item (a), the following item shall be substituted, namely:-
- "(a) ten per cent from amongst the Junior Draftsmen, Surveyors, Work Mistry, Earth Work Mistry, Junior Technician, Technical Supervisor, Canal Patwari and Revenue Clerks working under the control of Chief Engineer, who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of four years on regular basis and who have obtained degree/diploma in Civil or Mechanical or Electrical Engineering from a recognized State Technical Education Board or from a recognized University or institution;"

Sd/-

KRISHAN KUMAR,

Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Water Resources.

PART-III GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND INDUSTRIAL TRAINING (Technical Education-1 Branch)

NOTIFICATION

The 15th July, 2025

No.G.S.R.133/Const./Art.309/Amd.(1)/2025.- In exercise of powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make the following rules, further to amend the Punjab Industrial Training (Class-III) Ministerial Service Rules, 2001, namely:-

RULES

- (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Industrial Training (Class-III) Ministerial Service (First Amendment) Rules, 2025.
 - (2) They shall be deemed to have come into force on the 17th day of July, 2020.
- In the Punjab Industrial Training (Class-III) Ministerial Service Rules, 2001 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), after rule 5, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:-
 - "5-A. Pay of members of the Service:- The members of the Service shall be entitled to such scales of pay, as may be authorized by the Department of Finance, Government of Punjab from time to time. The scales of pay, at present, in force in respect of the members of the Service, are given in Appendix A."
- 3. In the said rules, for Appendix 'A', the following Appendix shall be substituted, namely:-

"APPENDIX 'A'

[see rules 1(3), 3 and 5-A]

Serial Number	Designation of the post	Number of posts	Pay levels/ scales for the members of the Service recruited in Government Service prior to 17.07.2020. (in rupees)	Pay levels/ scales for the members of the Service recruited in Government Service on or after 17.07.2020. (in rupees)
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Senior Assistant	232	38500-122700 (Level-11)	35400-112400 (Level-6)
2.	Clerks	440	20200-64000 (Level-3)	19900-63200 (Level-2)
3.	Senior Scale Stenographer	4	38500-122700 (Level-11)	

4.	Junior Scale Stenographer	6	28900-91600 (Level-7)	29200-92300 (Level 5)
5.	Steno Typist	11	21300-67800 (Level-5)	21700-69100 (Level 3)
6.	Restorer	3	20200-64000 (Level-3)	-
7.	Driver	4	21300-67800 (Level-5)	21700-69100 (Level 3)

Note-1:- The rules for the post of Superintendent Grade-1 are repealed after the notification of Punjab Industrial Training (Group-A) Non Technical Service Rules, 2006.

Note-2:- The rules for the post of Superintendent Grade-2 are repealed after the notification of Punjab Industrial Training (Group-B) Ministerial Service Rules, 2006.

Note-3:- The pay level/ scale on the pattern of the 7th Central Pay Commission shall be applicable to the member of the service recruited on or after 17.07.2020. Further, such member shall be entitled only for pay level/ scale on the pattern of the 7th Central Pay Commission at the time of promotion also. Pay level/ scale of 6th Punjab Pay Commission shall not be applicable to such member at the time of promotion."

Sd/-

SHRUTI SINGH,

Secretary to Government of Punjab, Technical Education and Industrial Training.